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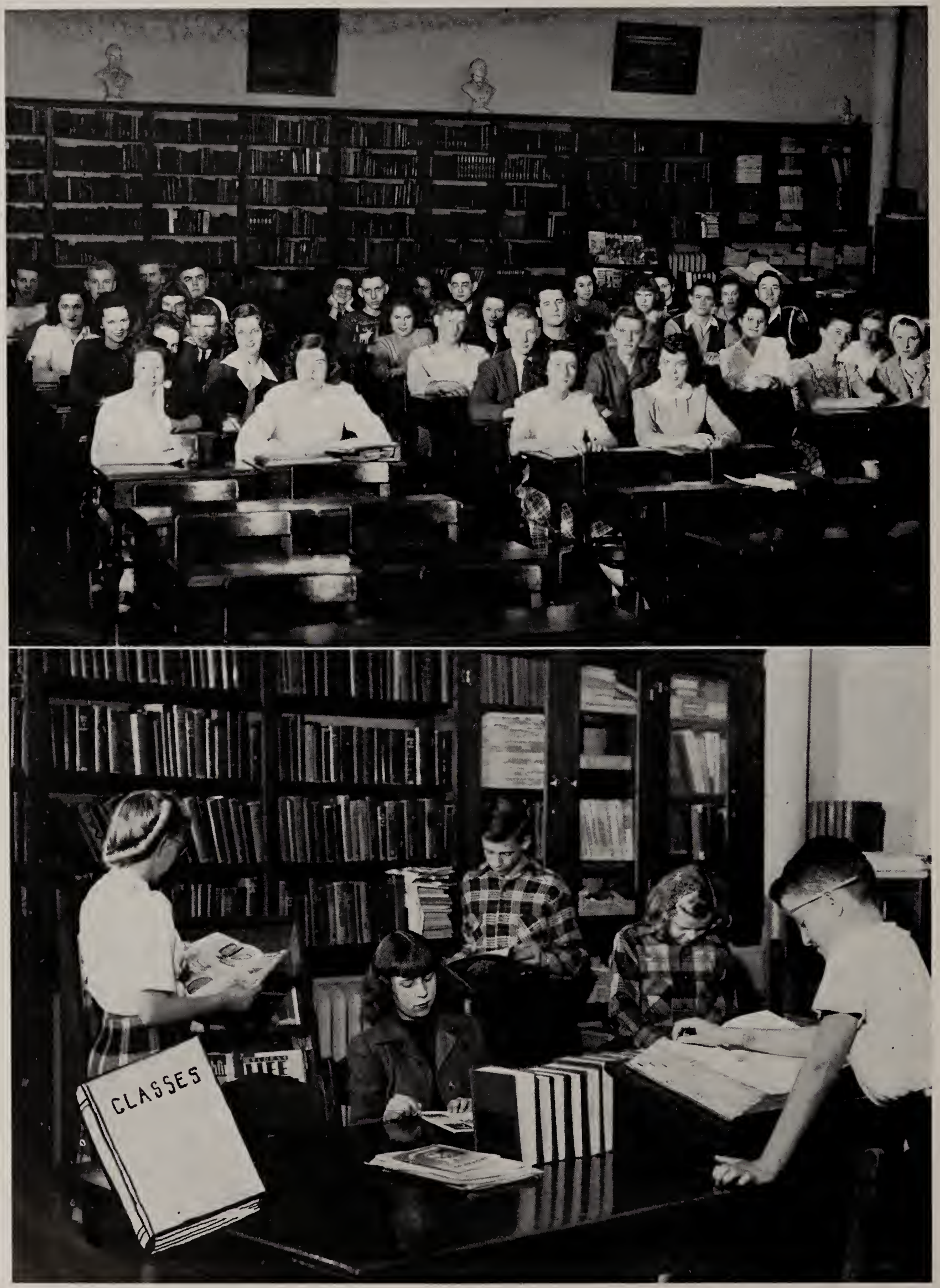
The 1947 Napanet

WE, THE CLASS OF 1947, PRESENT THIS, THE TWENTY-SECOND VOLUME OF THE NAPANET. MAY THIS BOOK BE TO YOU, OUR FELLOW STUDENTS AND FRIENDS, A FLASHBACK OF NHS DURING THE YEAR 1946-1947; BUT EVEN MORE, MAY IT BE A "MEMORY LANE" IN THE YEARS TO COME.

Nappanee High School . . Nappanee, Indiana


CLASSES

Classes

EACH DAY FOR THE PAST FOUR YEARS THE SENIORS HAVE MET IN THE CLASS ROOMS TO STUDY THEIR VARIOUS CHOSEN CURRICULA. UNDER THE SUPERVISION AND CO-OPERATION OF CAPABLE TEACHERS, THE SENIORS ARE COMPLETING A WELL ROUNDED HIGH SCHOOI. EDUCATION.

TWO OF THE MOST INTERESTING CLASSES ARE HOME ECONOMICS AND ART. THESE TWO SUBJECTS GIVE THE STUDENT A CHANCE FOR SELF-EXPRESSION AND THE PRACTICAL KNOWLEDGE OF HOMEMAKING.

ACTIVITIES

Activities

ACTIVITIES PROVIDE A DIVERSION FROM EVERYDAY SCHOOL ROUTINE. NO MATTER WHAT ONE'S INTERESTS MAY BE, SOME ACTIVITY CAN ALWAYS BE FOUND IN WHICH TO TAKE PART. OUR HIGH SCHOOL ORGANIZATIONS INCLUDE THOSE IN SUCH VARIED FIELDS AS MUSIC, DRAMATICS, ATHLETICS, AND JOURNALISM. EACH OF THESE ACTIVITIES GIVES OPPORTUNITIES FOR US TO LEARN TO CO-OPERATE WITH OTHERS, TO GAIN EXPERIENCE AND PRACTICAL KNOWLEDGE, AND TO DISCOVER OUR TALENTS. DURING THIS YEAR WE HAVE ENJOYED HELPING TO MAKE NAPPANEE HIGH SCHOOL A BETTER PLACE THROUGH OUR WORK IN THESE MANY ACTIVITIES.

—Margaret Mutschler

EVENTS

Events

HERE ARE RECORDED THOSE ALL-IMPORTANT INCIDENTS OF OUR PAST YEAR OF SCHOOL LIFE. PLAYS, TOURNAMENTS, CONTESTS, P A R T I E S, FESTIVALS—THESE ARE THE THINGS WE WILL RECALL WITH PRIDE IN FUTURE YEARS. THESE EXCITING MOMENTS, SPECIAL ACHIEVEMENTS, AND MEETINGS OF FRIENDLY COMPETITION GIVE TO US THAT VERY NECESSARY FEELING OF SUCCESS AND MAKE OUR SCHOOL DAYS PLEASANT TO REMEMBER.

Who's Who

People

PICKED TO REPRESENT THEIR CLASSMATES AS OUTSTANDING IN LEADERSHIP IN FIVE FIELDS, WERE THESE FIVE SENIORS:

JANE LOU BIGLER, SCHOLARSHIP

MARY CATHERINE HARTMAN, DRAMATICS

NANCY ULINE, MUSIC

JACK MILLEMAN, ATHLETICS

ARTHUR SCHWARTZ, LEADERSHIP

SCHOOL BOARD

Throughout all the coming years there will extend the happy memories of these who are giving their lives to directing our steps and lighting our pathways. In our studies and activities, our achievements and failures, they have given us an understanding of the problems we shall face in future years.

With the aid of the invalnable tools given us by these master craftsmen, we feel that we are prepared to enter the great workshop and add our personal touches to the "World of Tomorrow."

Left:
LYLE K. KLITZKE
Superintendent
Physics
Teachers College, Whitewater, Wisconsin
University of Iowa, B. A.
University of Chicago, M. A.
Purdue University

Right:
GALEN C. ROOSE
Principal
Mathematics
Goshen College
Manchester College
Indiana University, A. B., M. S.
Purdue University

Left:
CARLYLE MUTSCHLER
President, Board of Education

Center:
JOHN COPPES
Treasurer, Board of Education

Right:
LAMAR STOOPS
Secretary, Board of Education

AND FACULTY

Wayne Best
Physical Education, Soeial Science, Junior High Coach
Manchester College, A. B.
Indiana University

Irma Blank
Vocational Home Economics, English
Indiana University, A. B.
Butler University
Ball State Teachers College

Mrs. Marguerite Bowman
Bible
Wheaton College, A. B.

Charles Byers
Vocational Agrieulture, Industrial Arts
Purdue, B. S.
Ball State Teachers College

Jean Gray
Vocal Music
Northwestern University, B. M. E.

Lewis Habegger
Instrumental Music, Commerce
Manchester College, B. S.
Michigan State University

Clarence Holaway
Mathematics, Foreign Language
Goshen College, A. B.
Indiana University, M. S.

Esther Hoover
Health, Physical Edueation, Social Studies
Indiana University, A. B.
University of California at Los Angeles
Ball Statc Teachers College

Mrs. Lucy Miles
English
Indiana University, A. B.
Northwestern University

Edith Palmer
Clerk

Mrs. Edith Pelchrzim
English, History
Goshen College, A. B.
Ball State Teaehers College
Lyceum Arts Conservatory

Harvey Postma
Commerce, High School Geography
Goshen College, A. B.
Indiana University

Mrs. Mary Rood
Art
Terre Haute Teachers College, B. S.

Mildred Shively
English, Arithmetic
Manchester College, A. B.
Northwestern University
Indiana University

James Weddle
Health, Biology, Physical Education, Coaeh
Manchester College, B. S.
Indiana University

Lawrence White
Soeial Science
Manchester College, A. B.
Ball State Teachers College
Indiana University, M. S.

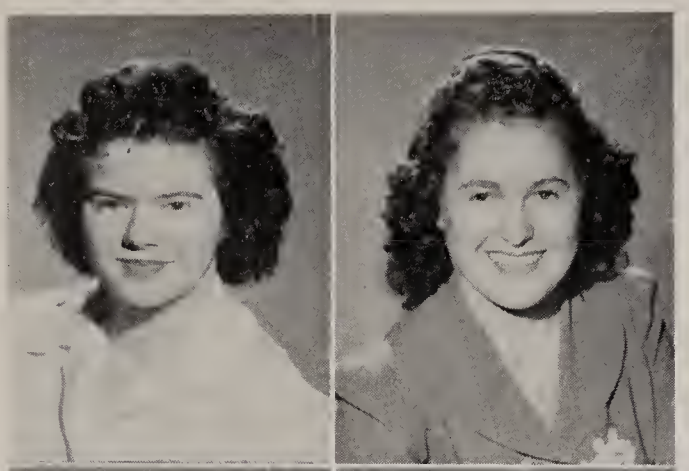
SENIORS

Senior Officers

NANCY ULINE, *Secretary-Treasurer*
MARGARET JANE LLOYD, *President*
ARTHUR SCHWARTZ, *Vice-President*

In Memoriam

To the memory of Arthur Frederick Haney, who departed from this life on February 26, 1947. *He was a quiet studious member of the senior class and an active member of the Future Farmers Association. Happy and useful as our classmate was here, rich and beautiful as was his life, we know he has entered into sweeter, deeper joy and that his life is fuller and richer now.*

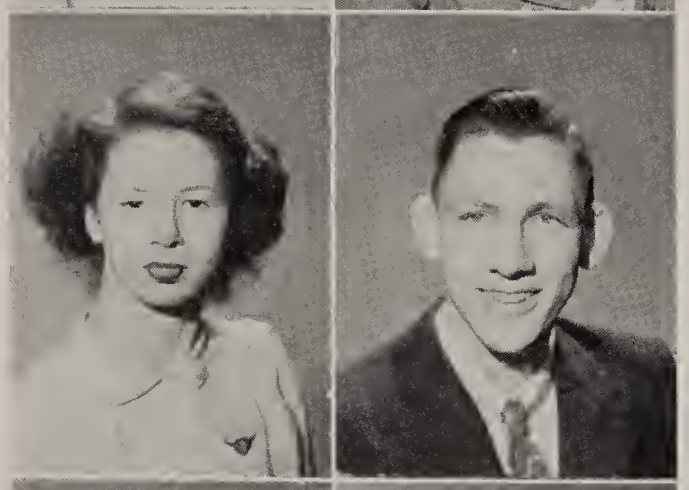


PHYLLIS JEAN BENNETT
"Phil"

Y-Teens 1, 2, 3; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus Ensemble.

JANE LOU BIGLER
"Janie"

Class Pres. 1; Cheerleader 1, 2, 3; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics 4; Journalism 3, 4; National Honor Society 4; Student Council 4; Librarian 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2; Monitor 4; "Do Re Mi" 4; Reception Committee 3; Valedictorian 4.

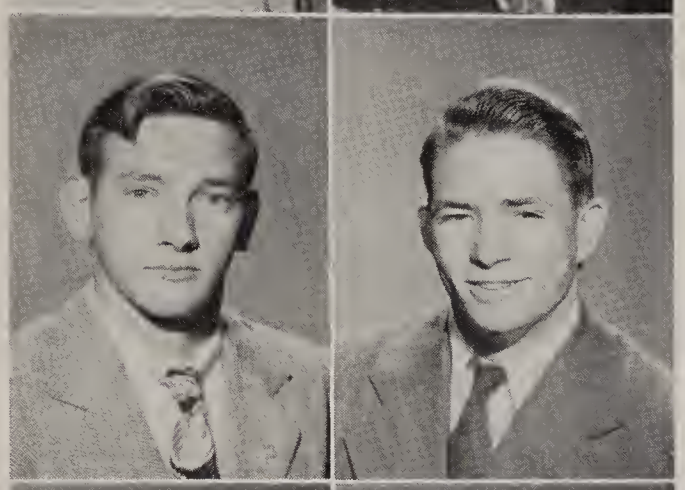


BONNIE LOU BUSS
"Bonnie"

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus Ensemble 1.

DEWEY W. EPPLEY
"Dewey"

Debate 2, 3, 4; Debate Pres. 4; Student Council Vice-Pres. 4; Secretary National Honor Society 4; Hi-Y 2, 3, 4; Co-Editor Annual 4.



ROBERT JAMES FREET
"Bob"

F. F. A. 1, 2, 3; F. F. A. Vice Pres. 2; U. S. Navy 4.

WILLIAM DAVIS GAMBLE
"Bill"

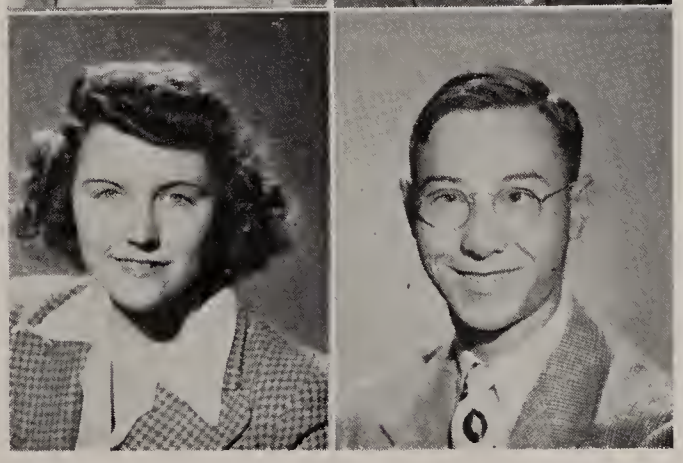
Hi-Y 4.

ANNA LOU GONDERMAN
"Annie"

Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teen Secretary 4; Monitor 4; Chorus 1; Reception Committee 3; Journalism 4.

BILLIE JEAN GRAN
"Billie"

G. A. A. 1, 2, 3; Monitor 2; Future Homemakers 4.



JUNE LUCILLE HAINES
"June"

Future Homemakers 4.

ARTHUR F. HANEY
"Mousey"

F. F. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Secretary 4

PATRICIA JOAN HARE
"Pat"

Cheerleader 1, 2; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3; Journalism 4.

MARY CATHERINE HARTMAN
"Kate"

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Librarian 2, 3, 4; Treasurer 4; Band Ensemble 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1, 2, 3; Chorus 1, 2; Dramatics 3, 4; Pres. 4; Journalism 2, 3, 4; Co-Editor 4; Ass't Business Manager Annual 4; Reception Committee 3; D.A.R. Representative 4; "Cash and Carrie" 3; "The Leading Lady" 3; "Voice of America" 3; "Little Women" 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4.

DORIS ELLEN HOLAWAY
"Doris"

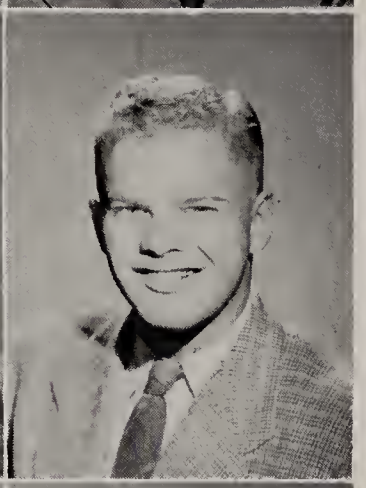
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus Ensembles 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teen Song-leader 3; Librarian 2, 3, 4.

BENNY E. HOUSOUER
"Lefty"

Hi-Y 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 4; Manager 3; Baseball 4; Noon-basketball 1.

SALLY JO HOWENSTIEN
"Jo"

Band 1, 2; Chorus 1, 2, 3; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Annual Staff 4; Monitor 4.



RICHARD LYLE KLITZKE
"Clod"

Basketball 3, 4; Baseball 3, 4; Band 3, 4; Chorus 3, 4; Dramatics 3, 4; Journalism 4; Hi-Y 3, 4.

NORMA JEAN KUHN
"Norma"

Future Homemakers 4.

OWEN F. LEMNA
"Bomber"

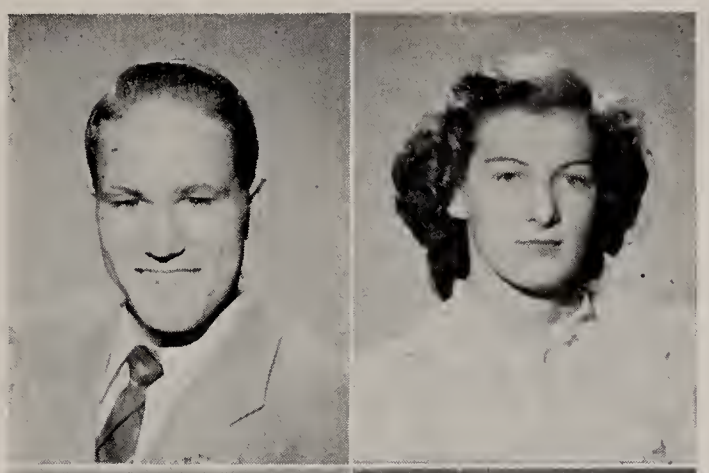
Student Council 1; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Noon-Basketball 1; Band 1, 2; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Pres. 4; Dramatics 3, 4; "Voice of America" 3; "Do Re Mi" 4; "Little Women" 4; Journalism 4; Annual Staff 4; Monitor 4; Hi-Y 2, 3, 4.

JAMES MARION LENTZ
"Digger"

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y Sgt. at Arms 2; Hi-Y 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1; Chorus 1, 2, 3.

MARGARET JANE LLOYD
"Peg"

Student Council 1, 2; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teen Vice-Pres. 3; Chorus 1; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; President 4; Dramatics 4; Journalism 1, 2, 3; Reception Committee 3; Class Pres. 4; Vice-President 3; "Do Re Mi" 4; Annual Staff 4.



GEORGE LANDON MALCOLM
"George"

Hi-Y 4; Noon-Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 3, 4; F. F. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; President 3, 4.

DONNABELLE LUCILLE MAST
"Donnie"

Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1; G. A. A. 2, 3.

MARCELENE P. MAY
"Marcie"

Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Monitor 3; Chorus 1; Journalism 4.

PHYLLIS JAYNE MELLINGER
"Phyl"

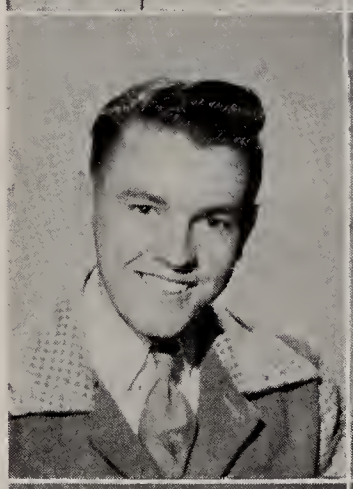
Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teen President 4; Librarian 4; Journalism 4; Monitor 3; Chorus 1.

HELEN JERINE MESSNER
"Helen"

Chorus 1; Journalism 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Future Homemakers 4.

MARY ELLEN MIDDAUGH
"Mary"

Chorus 1; Future Homemakers 4; Journalism 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4.



JACK D. MILLEMAN
"Jack"

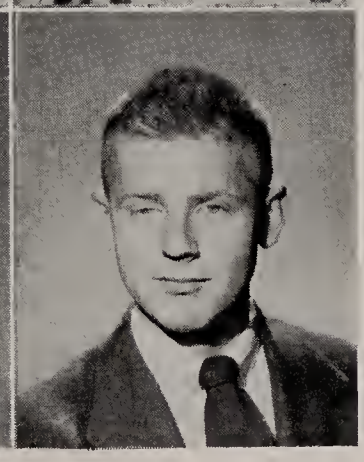
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Honor Society 4; Student Council 4; Hi-Y 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y Treasurer 4; Cross Country 2; Class President 2; Annual Staff 4; Monitor 2.

MARILYN ROSE MILLER
"Marilyn"

Y-Teens 1, 3, 4; Y-Teens Treasurer 4; Chorus 1; Annual Staff 4; Reception Committee 3; Dramatics 4.

WAYNE GERALD NORTH
"Wayne"

Journalism 4; Debate 3, 4; Track 3; Sketch Club 1; Chorus 3, 4; Annual Staff 4; Chorus Ensembles 3, 4.



PHILLIP SEARS PRICE
"Phil"

Band 2, 3, 4; Band Ensemble 3, 4; Hi-Y 2, 3, 4; Newspaper reporter 3; Journalism 2, 3, 4; Dramatic 3, 4; "Do Re Mi" 4; "Cash and Carrie" 3; "Voice of America" 3; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Annual Staff 4.

Norma Jean Ralston
"Norma"

Y-Teens 1, 2, 4; Librarian 2, 3, 4.

Arthur Edward Schwartz
"Art"

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Band Ensembles 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3; Hi-Y 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y Vice-President 4; Dramatics 3, 4; Journalism 2, 3, 4; Editor 4; Staff 2, 3; Debate 2, 3, 4; Debate President 3; National Honor Society 3, 4; Class Vice-President 4; Student Council 2, 3, 4; Cross Country 2; Annual Staff 4; Reception Committee 3; Cheerleader 4; "Cash and Carrie" 3; "The Leading Lady" 3; "Little Women" 4; "Voice of America" 3.

LaMar Richard Stoops
"Dick"

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y Secretary 3; Hi-Y President 4; Class President 3; Student Council 4; Student Council President 4; Journalism 3, 4; Dramatics 4; National Honor Society 4; Business Manager of Annual 4; "Cash and Carrie" 3; "Do Re Mi" 4; "Little Women" 4.

Nila Joan Strauss
"Joan"

Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 2, 3, 4; Chorus Ensembles 2, 3, 4; Annual Staff 4; "Cash and Carrie" 3; Reception Committee 3; Annual Staff 4.

Nancy Ellen Uline
"Nan"

Chorus 1, 3, 4; Accompanist 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Secretary 4; Debate 4; Annual Editor 4; Secretary-Treasurer of Class 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 3, 4; Student Council 3, 4; National Honor Society 3, 4; President 4; Chorus Ensembles 3, 4; Reception Committee 3; Sketch Club 1.

Richard Rohrer
"Dick"

Band 3, 4; Chorus 1; Noon Basketball 4.

Eugene D. Slagle
"Slug"

Track 2; Hi-Y 2, 3, 4; News Reporter 4.

Bette Louise Strang
"Bette"

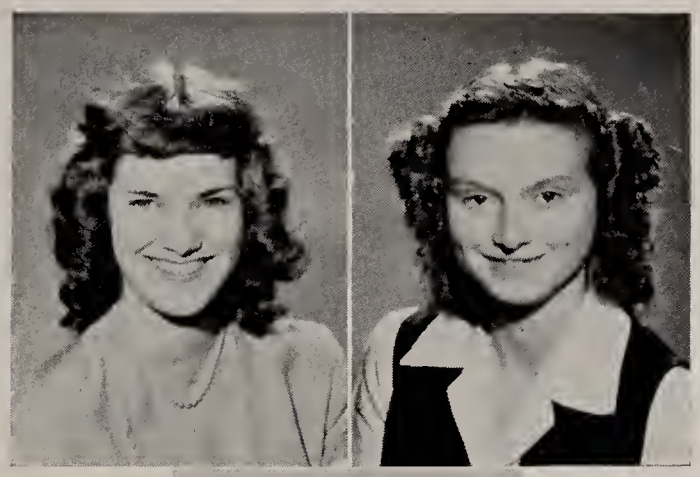
Cheerleader 1, 2; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3; Monitor 2.

W. Levi Tobias
"Chick"

F. F. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball Manager 3; Noon Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 3.

Virginia Ann Warren
"Gin"

Y-Teens 1, 2, 3; Journalism 4.

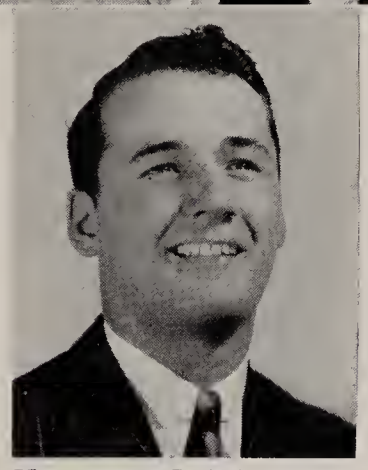


MARY JEANETTE WELTY
"Jen"

Dramatics 4; Journalism 2, 3; "Cash and Carrie" 3; "Little Women" 4; Band 1, 2; Librarian 2, Band Ensembles 1, 2; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus Ensembles 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Annual Staff 4; Reception Committee 3.

PAULINE M. WISE
"Pook"

Y-Teens 1, 2, 4; Future Homemakers 4.



KENNETH J. WALTERS
"Ken"

Basketball 1, 2, 3; Track 1, 2, 3; Baseball 2, 3; Hi-Y 2, 3, 4; U. S. Marines 4.

SENIOR HISTORY

Seniors!!! That's what we are. And mighty proud of it! We worked and played together, shared each other's sorrows and joys. We've done a lot of griping and complaining; but down deep in our hearts we have to admit that we hate leaving dear old "N.H.S." We like to reminisce, to recall the many eventful and happy days since 1935 when we first trotted off to school.

Social affairs always stand foremost in our minds. In the following years we have had theater parties, wiener roasts, skating parties, and sledding parties. We always had a great time on these occasions.

Two outstanding events were trips we were privileged to take. During our junior year we visited Detroit's Ford plant and Edison Museum. As seniors we attended, in Indianapolis, our state legislature, and visited the War Memorial, and the Soldiers and Sailors Monument.

In memory of these happy years we leave behind us a fund started for an intercommunication system in the school. And as years go by we hope that this will be accomplished so that those starting their school life this year and years to come may have the benefit of this new development.

Lumps form in our throats when we think we will soon be leaving and going out into the world, each taking a different path. But we will face the future with courage and determination!! "We can because we think we can!"

"BOOK OF THE FUTURE"

We, the class of 1947, being of superior mentality and excellent judgment, knowing we must soon depart from our beloved concentration camp, do declare this our last will and testament.

I, Phyllis Bennett, will my position as efficient waitress to Margaret Farrington, as she already has a fine start.

I, Jane Lou Bigler, will my studious nature to my sister, JoAnn.

I, Bonnie Lou Buss, will my bored expression in economics class to anyone who dislikes the course any more than I do.

I, Dewey Waldo Eppley, will my ability to argue to Arden Hamman as he shows some inclination to that pastime.

I, Robert James Freet, will my navy uniform to Dick Linn because he will probably want it sometime.

I, Anna Lou Gonderman, will my daily letter to anyone who can be as faithful to a service man as I have been.

I, William Davis Gamble, will my love for good old southern fried chicken and cornpone to the next southerner who graces our school.

We, Billie Jean Gran and June Lucille Haines, will our seats in government class to anyone who can take Beef's teasing as well as we did.

I, Patricia Joan Hare, will my height to Betty May provided she uses it to a good advantage.

I, Mary Catherine Hartman, will my steady boy friend to Joan Stuckman in case she ever settles down.

I, Benny Housouer, will my galloping gait to Mark Cox in hopes he can use it to a good advantage.

I, Doris Ellen Holaway, will my position as bookstore clerk to Marguerite Gearhart.

I, Sally Jo Howenstein, will my shining blue eyes to Fay Steinmetz to be added to her own.

I, Richard Lyle Klitzke, will my light complexion to Junior Heckaman.

I, Norma Jean Kuhn, will my quiet disposition to Beverly Hahn to be used if she ever has time.

I, Owen Frederick Lemna, will my physique to Bob Orn to win the love of a lady.

We, James Marion Lentz and Phyllis Jayne Mellinger, will our loyal friendship to Rosena Gearhart and Carl Lemna.

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I, Margaret Jane Lloyd, will my winning smile and sunny disposition to Dick Callendar, knowing he will use it to a good advantage.

We, George Landon Malcolm and Willard Levi Tobias, will our daily seats at the library table during third hour to anyone who can get away with murder as we have.

I, Marcelene Pauline May, will the rings on my left hand, third finger to anyone who can get married in her junior year and keep it a secret.

I, Donnabelle Lucille Mast, will my wardrobe to Ruth Speicher to be used sparingly with what she already has.

I, Helen Jerine Messner, will my love for home economics to all the girls who take it next year.

I, Mary Ellen Middaugh, will my job in the five and ten cent store to my younger sister, Anna Mae, in hopes she'll like it as well as I do.

I, Jack Duane Milleman, will my interest in Bremen to Garter Coppes, knowing he needs an interest somewhere.

I, Marilyn Rose Miller, will my shyness to Marilyn Burkholder to be used as she sees fit.

I, Wayne Gerald North, will my daily nap in economics class to all juniors who cherish sleep as I do.

I, Phillip Sears Price, will my trusty "Model T" to Corky Stillson in case his "Chevy" wears out.

I, Norma Jean Ralston, will my peaches and cream complexion to Carole Heckaman.

I, Richard Dean Rohrer, will my agricultural knowledge to Pete Rose, along with my walk to be added to his own.

I, Arthur Schwartz, will my high tenor voice to George Byers.

I, Eugene Delbert Slagle, will my ability to flap my ears and make faces to anyone who can scare the wits out of girls as I can.

I, Richard LaMar Stoops, will my flare for feminine flames to Ronny Kirkwood.

I, Bette Louise Strang, will my care-free disposition to anyone taking life too seriously.

I, Nila Joan Strauss, will my early arrivals at school to Betty Hostetter, knowing that she dislikes getting up so early, too.

I, Nancy Ellen Uline, will my co-operativeness and patience as chorus accompanist to next year's, hoping she can grin and bear it as I did.

I, Kenneth J. Walters, will the wolfish gleam in my eye to Paul Rummel.

I, Virginia Ann Warren, will my love for reading library books to Fred Curtis to be used in his spare (?) time.

I, Mary Jeanette Welty, will my daily hikes to school to Willard Marvel provided he doesn't freeze on the way.

I, Pauline Mae Wise, will my nimble fingers to Marilyn Burkholder who has worked so hard in ye olde typing class.

Witnessess
Esther M. Hoover
Galen C. Roose

1947 SENIOR

During our recent trip to the far west we stopped in the Rockies, climbed Pike's Peak for a look, and oh brother, what we saw! A diminutive man was standing beside a small telescope and calling, "Step right up, ladies and gentlemen, see three states, seven counties, and twenty-one townships for only one dime. For an extra dime, have a look into the future." Well, we just couldn't resist and so we slipped two dimes into the slot, and, presto, there it was—the whole countryside stretched out for miles.

Suddenly a cloud drifted in front of the lens and when it lifted, there, right in front of the glass, was the modern city of Nappanee, with Main and Market streets much the same as they are now, but, how the stores had changed! So large and beautiful! And there on the corner was the magnificent restaurant owned by the wealthiest woman in town, Phyllis Bennett.

Across the street was the famous Milleman clinic and hospital. Jack was known the world over for his surgery. His very capable nurse and assistant was Virginia Warren.

Dr. and Mrs. James Lentz were located half way up the next block. He had taken over his father's business and Phyllis was his very able office secretary. They had six children, three boys and three girls.

Across the street from the Lentz office was the telephone building managed by Dick Stoops and wife, Peggy Lloyd Stoops. Jane Bigler was the chief operator and Phil Price was the lineman. It was rumored that they were to be married in the spring.

On the corner stood the flatfoot of the town, Chief Eugene Slagle, the brave protector of law and order. He was especially watchful for reckless seniors.

Bette Strang was the head waitress at Johnsons' drug store. She married you know whom and they had two children, but she still found time to work with her husband.

The school hadn't changed much but for the new superintendent, Dick Klitzke and his clerk, Pauline Wise. The new home economics teacher was Helen Messner, who was expounding the merits of biscuit making and how to sew a straight seam. Levi Tobias had succeeded Charlie Byers as agriculture teacher.

The new laundry had been purchased by Bob Freet. He had built up a roaring business and was considering plans for expansion.

George Malcolm and Mary Jeanette Welty had set up housekeeping on a huge dairy farm north of town. They were prospering very well with the efficient help of their husky twins.

South of town we found a large muck farm under the management of Richard Rohrer who specialized in peppermint and tall corn. His wife, Norma Kuhn, was busily occupied in their ultra-modern farm home.

Anna Lou Gonderman, Marcelene May, and Pat Hare were married, of course, and were very busy keeping house and rearing children. You all know whom they married, so we won't go into detail.

The scene changed, and Washington, D. C., came into view. There in the U. S. Senate we saw Arthur Schwartz, cigar in hand, proposing a bill to increase senators' wages. Kate Hartman, his wife, was his private secretary and advisor.

CLASS PROPHECY

In the House of Representatives we saw the fine gentleman from the solid south, Bill Gamble, representative from Alabama.

Then New York, and the Metropolitan Opera. Owen Lemna was the leading baritone. That night the production was "Romeo and Juliet," and Owen's partner was the well known and ever popular Joan Strauss.

Next we saw Radio City, New York, and Nancy Uline was playing with the New York Philharmonic Orchestra. Her talent really had paid off, and we understood she was soon leaving for Europe for a tour!

In another studio we saw June Haines and Billie Jean Gran in their daily serial, "Life Can Be Terrible," sponsored by "No Droop Noodle Soup."

On the next floor we found Fred Waring and his orchestra featuring the lovely voice of Doris Holaway and the romantic tenor of Wayne North. They had become quite popular and were admired by their huge radio audience.

Leaving Radio City we found ourselves in a prominent lawyer's office. Behind the desk piled high with papers, we discovered none other than Dewey Eppley. He was well known all over New York for his record of lawsuit decisions.

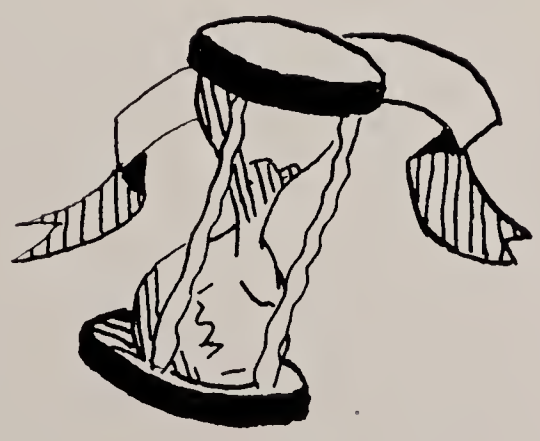
At Madison Square Garden we found a fight in progress. The referee was a man who could really get around for he was Benny Housouer, a small man, but one who knew his stuff.

And then to Hollywood! But on the way we focused our telescope on Manchester College where we saw Marilyn Miller as an art instructor. She had to her credit some beautiful paintings then hanging in the Chicago Art Institute.

Our last visit was to Hollywood where we first saw a swanky night club operated by Kenneth Walters. He was a millionaire, due to the attractions of his chorus girls, Norma Ralston, and Sally Howenstein. The club was well known for its good food, soft music, and pretty girls. The menus were arranged by Mary Ellen Middaugh, the head dietician.

Around the corner was the exquisite Betty Co-Ed Style Shop owned by Donnabelle Mast, whose exclusive styles were known the world over.

Just then the shutter snapped shut and our time was up. We thanked the man for a most enlightening experience and continued on our way.



'46 ALUMNI

Doris Anglin	Nappanee Lumber & Mfg. Co.	Nappanee, Indiana
Richard Arnott	Barber College	Indianapolis, Indiana
Verna Arnott	Nappanee Telephone Co.	Nappanee, Indiana
Dallas Burkholder	At home, farming	Nappanee, Indiana
Jeanette Clouse	Mrs. Herman Hall	Nappanee, Indiana
Robert Crowe	Ashland College	Ashland, Ohio
Jean Dunnuck	Dr. Fleetwood's Office	Nappanee, Indiana
Jacqueline Estep	Mrs. Dallas Meyers	Harrod, Ohio
George Flowers	Navy	
Dale Freet	South Bend Business College	South Bend, Indiana
Joe Gould		Elkhart, Indiana
Phyllis Guard	Dr. Price's Office	Nappanee, Indiana
Dean Guard	Vitreous Steel Products	Nappanee, Indiana
Herman Hall	Navy	
Rose Marie Hartman	Ashland College	Ashland, Ohio
Dale Hershberger	Huffman's Bakery	Nappanee, Indiana
Dorothy Hood	Bluffton College	Bluffton, Ohio
William Hostetter	Army	
Marilyn Huff	Ossie's Restaurant	Nappanee, Indiana
Joyce Klingaman	Dr. Zimmerman's Office	Nappanee, Indiana
Robert Kring	Gulf Service Station	Nappanee, Indiana
Delores Kurtz	Slick's Laundry	South Bend, Indiana
Betty Lynch	B & B Cafe	Nappanee, Indiana
James Mellinger	Mutschler Bros.	Nappanee, Indiana
Wilbur Metzler	Mutschler Bros.	Nappanee, Indiana
David Miller	Purdue University	West Lafayette, Indiana
Richard Miller	Army	
Betty Moore	Beauty College	South Bend, Indiana
Shirley Pittman	South Bend Business College	South Bend, Indiana
Louise Pletcher	Mrs. John Glingle	Bourbon, Indiana
Barbara Postma	American Coating Mills	Elkhart, Indiana
Aubrey Schultz	Vitreous Steel Products	Nappanee, Indiana
Jean Sechrist	Goshen College	Goshen, Indiana
Lyle Smith	Mutschler Bros.	Nappanee, Indiana
Eugene Sponseller	Army	
Robert Stillson	Army	
Lois Thomas	Mrs. Howard Feldman	Etna Green, Indiana
John Thompson	Vitreous Steel Products	Nappanee, Indiana
Mary Walters	Coppes, Inc.	Nappanee, Indiana

BACCALAUREATE

Sunday Evening, May 18, 1947 at 8 o'clock

Organ Prelude .....Mrs. Lewis Habegger, Organist

Processional .....Class of 1947

Invocation .....The Reverend Homer North, Pastor of North Mennonite Church

Selected Music .....High School Chorus

Prayer.....The Reverend C. S. Overmeyer, Pastor of Grace Church

Selected Music .....High School Chorus

Sermon....The Reverend H. A. Melville, Pastor of Presbyterian Church

Selected Music .....High School Chorus

Benediction...The Reverend H. A. P. Homer, Pastor of Methodist Church

Recessional .....Class of 1947—Mrs. Lewis Habegger, Organist

COMMENCEMENT

Processional .....High School Band—Class of 1947
Lewis G. Habegger, Conductor

Invocation .....The Rev. Robert McBrier
Pastor, M. B. C. Church

Selected Music .....High School Band

Salutatory Address .....Richard Klitzke

Address .....“How To Make The Most Out Of Life”
Dr. George Davis, Purdue University

Valedictory Address .....Jane Lou Bigler

Selected Music .....High School Band

Presentation of Diplomas .....Mr. LaMar S. Stoops
Secretary, Board of School Trustees

Benediction .....The Rev. Milton Englehardt

Recessional .....High School Band—The Graduates

JUNIORS

President .....Kenneth Calbeck
Vice-President .....Ruth Speicher
Secretary-Treasurer .....David Widmoyer
Student Council .....Carl Lemna, Kenneth Calbeck
Sponsors .....Mrs. Rood, Mr. Postma

Another year is drawing to a close, and we, the class of '48, are coming nearer and nearer to the coveted goal—"Graduation."

We began this year with forty-two members, having lost seventeen since the beginning of our freshman year. Realizing the task before us, in the form of the Junior-Senior reception, would require a great deal of thought and capable leadership, we elected Kenneth Calbeck president and Ruth Speicher vice-president. David Widmoyer continued as our secretary-treasurer, and we chose Carl Lemna and Kenneth Calbeck to be our Student Council representatives to decide weighty matters for us. Mrs. Rood and Mr. Postma are our class sponsors.

During Christmas vacation we held a class party at Geyer's Dam, which was very successful and enjoyed by all.

As we complete our junior year we recall with regret our wasted moments. and remember with pride our triumphs during the past three years. May we resolve that next year, as seniors, we shall do our best to make the most of our opportunities, leaving behind us an outstanding record of achievement as students of N. H. S.

Patricia Naylor

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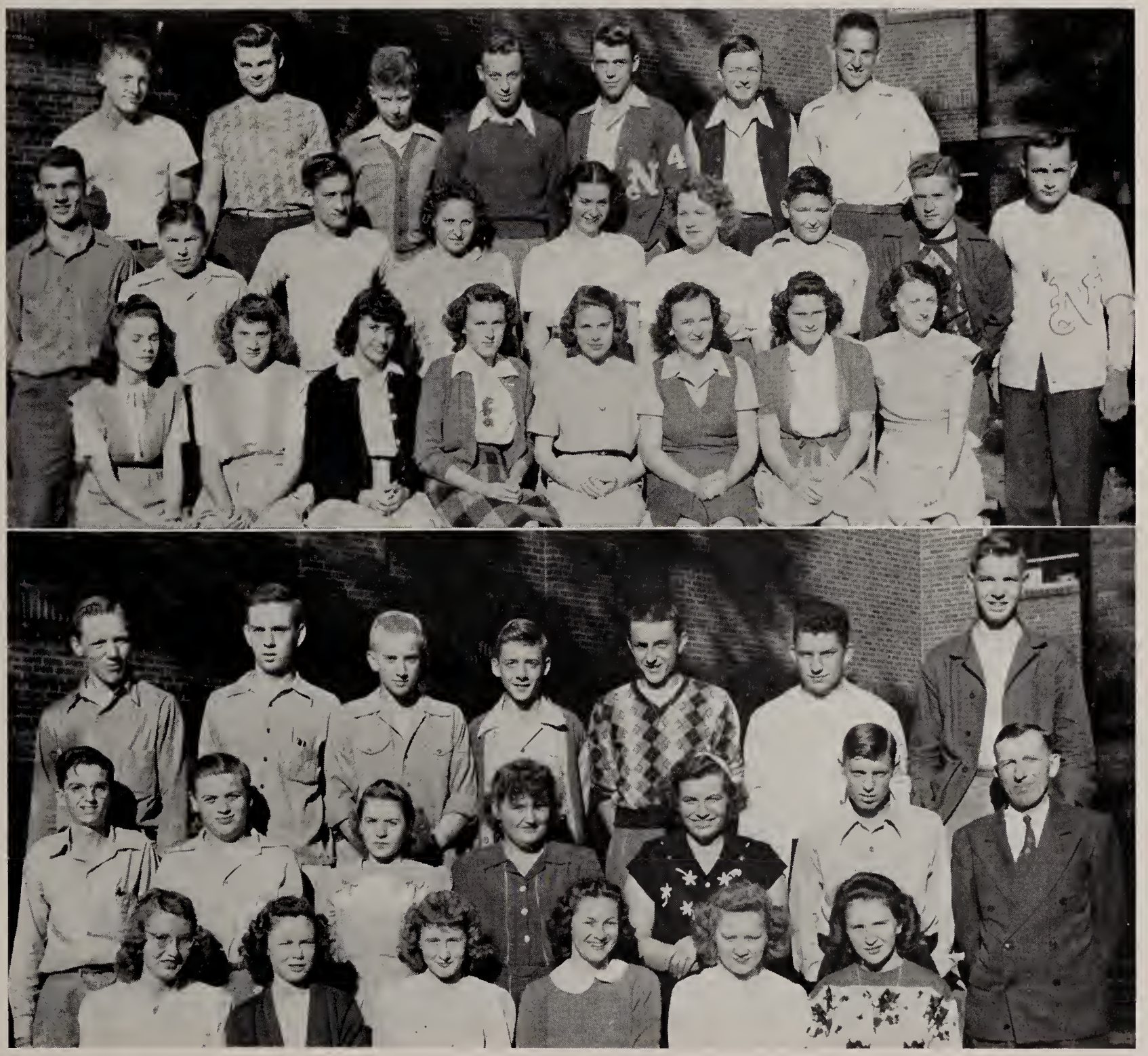
J U N I O R S

TOP PICTURE:

Bottom Row: (left to right) Margaret Farrington; Betty Hostetter; Jo Ann Bigler; Phyllis Beery; Vivian Babcock; Louise Berry; Rosena Gearhart; Mrs. Rood, sponsor.

Middle Row: Jack Gran; Frank Coppes; Fred Curtis; Marilyn Burkholder; Patricia Corwin; Mary Alice Hall; Ronald Kirkwood; Kenneth Calbeck; Harold Hershberger.

Top Row: George Byers; Arden Hamman; Mark Cox; Junior Heckaman; James Buss; Dick Callander; Joe Geyer.



BOTTOM PICTURE:

Bottom Row: Patricia Naylor; Lois Robinson; Ruth Speicher; Delores Roth; Fay Stinemetz; Betty Losee.

Middle Row: Robert Orn; David Widmoyer; Anna Mae Middaugh; Sally Milleman; Virginia Mitterling; Paul Rummel; Mr. Holaway, sponsor.

Top Row: Willard Marvel; Carl Lemna; Joe Stillson; Richard N. Miller; Gordon Neterer; Richard Linn; Frank Parsons.

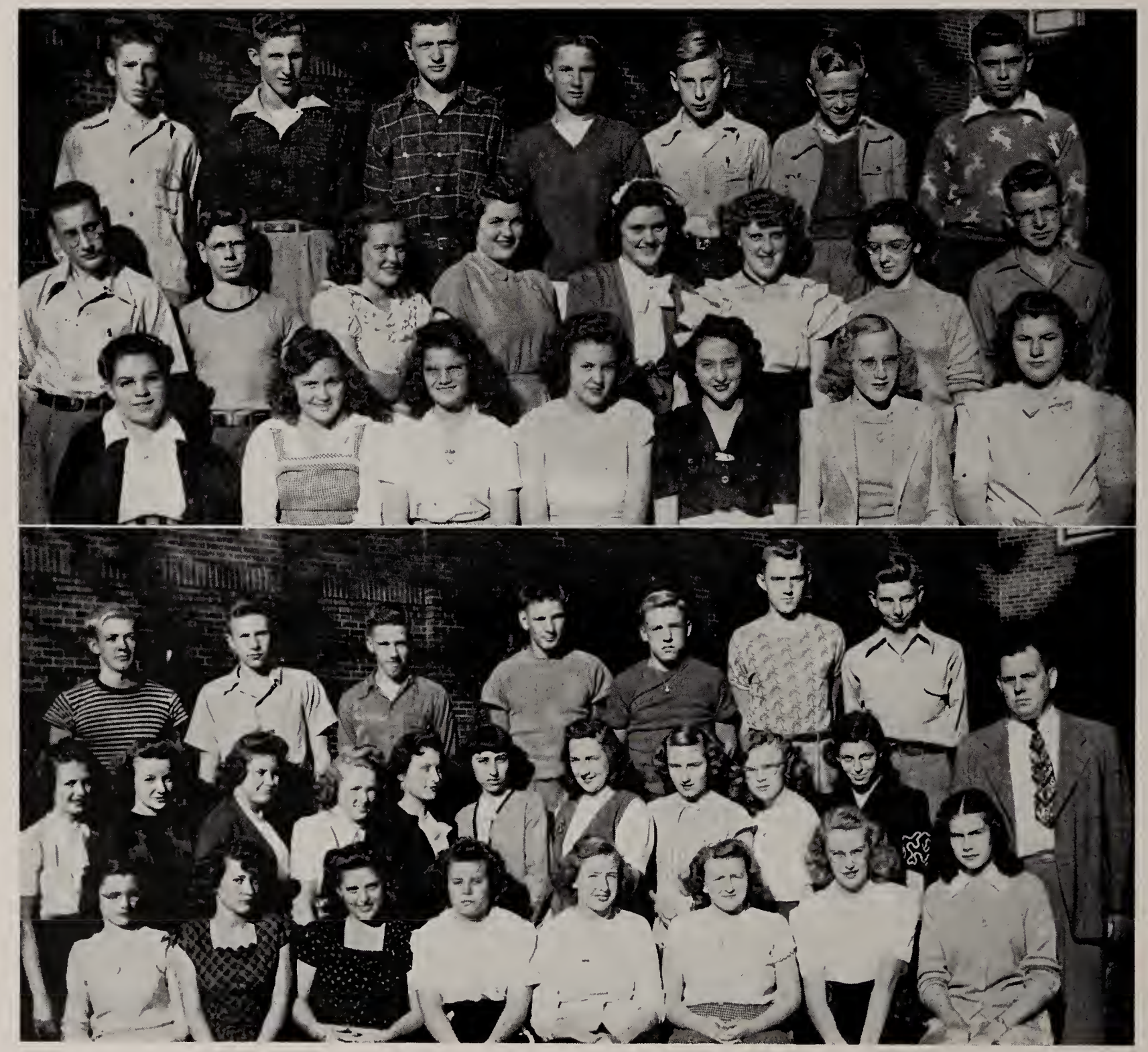
S O P H O M O R E S

TOP PICTURE:

Bottom Row: (left-right) Rose Crider; Betty Hood; Dolores Ingle; Mary Ann Bartholomew; Rosemary Hamilton; Joan Flowers; Marilyn Jensen.

Middle Row: Douglas Hummel; David Bauman; Kathleen Hoffer; Beverly Hahn; Marguerite Gearhart; Shirley Davis; Rae Ellen Field; Kenneth Bollman.

Top Row: Roy Kauffman; Rex Davis; Clell Hartman; Dick Gardner; Charles Chapman; Bobby Joe Hollar; Edward LeCount.



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Bottow Row: Helen Mattern; Betty Stutzman; Wilma Yoder; Sara Walters; Trilba Stillson; Dorothy Miller; Donna Uline; Margaret Mutschler.

Middle Row: Janet Miller; Margaret Miller; Eloise Milleman; Nancy Shaum; Ina Mae Troxel; Marlene Sheets; Marilyn Miller; Patricia Pippen; Phyllis Weaver; Marjorie Snyder; Mr. Best, sponsor.

Top Row: George Stoops; Dean Middaugh; Robert Reilly; Richard Max Miller; Wendell Metzler; Ray Ralston; Devon Rose.

S O P H O M O R E S

President .....George Stoops
Vice-President .....Marguerite Gearhart
Secretary-Treasurer .....Phyllis Weaver

Our class is forty-seven members strong. This includes seventeen boys and thirty girls.

Under the capable leadership of our sponsors, Mr. Weddle and Mr. Best, and our president and vice-president, we have completed a very successful year.

Phyllis Weaver has completed her fourth consecutive year as our faithful secretary.

We chose as our representatives to Student Council Dean Middaugh and Richard Gardner.

Our class enjoyed a wiener roast at Gever's Dam in January.

Janet Miller

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F R E S H M E N

Amid many doubts and fears we, the class of 1950, have reached the end of the ninth grade. Looking back over it, we find the election of officers was an important part. We selected Eugene Slabaugh as our President, Janet Eiman as Vice-President, and Martha Corl was appointed Secretary-Treasurer. Our student council members are Roland Heckaman and Betty May.

Another highlight of the year was a skating party at Plymouth, on February 4.

Our sponsors for the year were Mrs. Miles and Mr. White.

F R E S H M E N

TOP PICTURE:

Bottom Row: (left-right) Joan Lloyd; Shirley Copenhaver; Patricia Hollar; Jennie Lee Gall; Martha Corl; Janet Eiman; Phyllis Housouer, Mary Frances Bertelson.
Middle Row: Mrs. Miles, sponsor; Gene Gwin; Loleta Coppes; Carole Heckaman; Mary Helen Arnott; Lois Hartman; Laurine Haines; Ruth Bartman; Pegge Hare; William Coppes; William Farrington.
Top Row: George Hochstetler; Roland Heckaman; William Hood; James Heckaman; Donald Gardner; Carroll Holaway; Carlyle Buss; Leon Farmwald; Kenneth George.

BOTTOM PICTURE:

Bottom Row: Betty May; Patricia Martin; Arlene Schwartz; Ann Wright; Joan Shaum; Mary Jeanette Mast; Patricia Reed; Pauline Stinemetz.
Middle Row: Donald Riley; Leonard Stout; Edna Stutzman; Peggy Williams; Margie Middaugh; Mariette Mellinger; Leura Melville; Barbara Moneyheffer; Eugene Slabaugh; Donald Swartzlander; Mr. White, sponsor.
Top row: Gene Smith; Roy Snyder; Jack Tobias; Stanley Naylor; Max Weaver; Fred Rice; William Tyndall; Jack Reed; Donald Welty; James Pittman.

E I G H T H G R A D E

We the class of 1951 started our voyage toward that wonderful graduation day. The number of sailors on board was 50. Our captains were Mrs. Pelchrzim and Mr. Holaway.

September 8 we held a meeting in the main cabin room. The officers selected were, President—Frieda Walters, Vice-President—Dana Gray, Secretary-Treasurer—Barbara Sharp. Herbert Cripe and LaMar Reichert were student councilors of our ship.

December 10 we cleared the deck and held our skating party, which was enjoyed by all.

We have sailors belonging to the Junior Y-Teens and some in band.

We hope all of our sailors will return next year and that we will have as much pleasure in resuming our voyage to graduation as this year has brought.

Front row—left to right:
Robert Miller, Wayne Ingle, Eugene Yoder, John Robinson, Rodney Loudermilk, Jim Miller, Walter Williams, Lowell Kuhn, Walter Longfield, Glen Reed, Bernell Slabaugh, Richard Uline.

Second row—left to right:
Richard Corwin, Albert Hershberger, Norma Bauman, Emma Jean Rensberger, Mabel Burkholder, Beverly Ralston, Elsie Davis, Mary Lou Reprogle, Sally Gall, Marilyn Phend, Joan Teeter, Gilford Truex, Howard Stutzman.

Third row—left to right:
Lyle Wade Best, Phyllis Detwiler, Carol Gillis, Barbara Sharp, Frieda Walters, Billie Jean Widmoyer, Carol Klitzke, Rachael Pfeiffer, Nancy Sechrist, Dawn Keesler, Yvonne Haines, Norma Ingle, Thelma Miller, LaMar Reichert, David Walters.

Fourth row—left to right:
John Paul Brunso, Gene Johnson, Herbert Cripe, Jerry Lentz, Forrest Dunnuck, Dana Gray, Dennis Brumbaugh, James Fleetwood, William Buss, Carl Heckaman, Carlyle Baumgartner.

SEVENTH GRADE

Front row—left to right:
Douglas Geyer, Phillip Wright, David Bowers, David Hartman, Edwin Kern, David Stouder, William Stillson, Richard Reprogle.

Second row—left to right:
Mary Jane Pittman, Marie Wilson, Joan Farrington, Barbara LeCount, Patricia Henley, Willodene Keifer, Colleen Bartman, Arlene Lehman, Sally Snider.

Third row—left to right:
Betty Sharkey, Mary Rockstroh, Sue Martin, Marla Mutschler, Patricia Richmond, Della Ina Chapman, JoAnn Shively, Lorretta Stillson, Norma Nine, Ruby Tobias, Monna Sechrist.

Fourth row—left to right:
James Mitterling, Ronald Miller, Fred Wilt, Richard Adams, Junior Fuller, James Messner, James Crafton, Robert Jensen, Thomas Prickett.

We the class of 1952 now find ourselves in the first year of Junior High. We began our year with thirty-eight students enrolled, but now we have 40 students.

Shortly after the school year started we elected officers as follows: Della Ina Chapman, President; Joann Farrington, Vice-President; Particia Richmond, Secretary-Treasurer. Our sponsors are Miss Shively and Miss Gray.

We had one party in January in our school gymnasium and are planning to have another one in the spring.

We are looking forward to our eighth grade year.

Activities

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To the left is a scene from the play "Little Women" directed by Mrs. Edith Pelchrzim

Seated, left to right:

Janet Miller; Mary Catherine Hartman; Joan Flowers; Jo Ann Bigler; Rosena Gearhart.

Standing, left to right:

Richard Stoops; Mary Jeanette Welty; Arlene Schwartz; Frank Coppes; Richard Callander; Arthur Schwartz; Mariette Mellinger.

STUDENT COUNCIL

As the official body of student government, the Student Council acts as a medium through which student and administrative problems are interpreted. Through the Student Council, a co-operative spirit is instilled throughout the school.

The Student Council is made up of all the members of the National Honor Society together with one representative from each home room of the junior high and high school grades not represented by the National Honor Society. This totals eighteen members in addition to Mr. Roose. our sponsor.

Our aims this year have been to make Nappanee High School a safer and better school. Various committees have worked on some of the problems and through the aid of the student body, we hope to meet these goals.

Front row, left to right:
La Mar Reichert, Herbert Cripe, Roland Heckaman, Betty May, JoAnn Farrington, Patricia Richmond.

Second row, left to right:
Richard Gardner, Dean Middaugh, Kenneth Calbeck, Carl Lemna, Mr. Roose, advisor.

Third row, left to right:
Arthur Schwartz, Dewey Eppley, Nancy Uline, Richard Stoops.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Seated, left to right: Rosena Gearhart; Jane Lou Bigler; Nancy Uline.

Standing, left to right: Arthur Schwartz; David Widmoyer; Dewey Eppley; Richard Stoops; Jack Milleman.

President .....NANCY ULINE

Secretary-Treasurer .....DEWEY EPPLEY

The National Honor Society is composed of students selected by the faculty on the basis of scholarship, leadership, service, and character. Two students are chosen from the Senior class at the beginning of the first semester, and two more seniors, as well as two juniors, at the beginning of the second semester.

The main project of this year's organization is to prepare a student handbook, which will contain information about the school, such as traditions, rules, and organizations.

D R A M A T I C C L U B

Front row, left to right:
Mary Jeanette Welty, Patricia Naylor, Mary Frances Bertelson, Joan Lloyd, Arlene Schwartz, Trilba Stillson, JoAnn Bigler, Rosena Gearhart, Mary Catherine Hartman.

Second row, left to right:
Betty Hostetter, Margaret Farrington, Carole Heckamen, Mariette Mellinger, Jane Lou Bigler, Janet Miller, Marilyn Miller, Marlene Scheets, Joan Flowers, Pegge Lloyd, Mrs. Pelchrzim, sponsor.

Third row, left to right:
Phillip Price, Owen Lemna, Frank Parsons, Richard Klitzke, Fred Curtis, Richard Stoops, Arthur Schwartz, Richard Callander, Frank Coppes.

In 1946 the Dramatic Club was organized with a membership of twenty; this year more enthusiasm was shown toward this activity and thirty students joined the club. Officers were elected at our October meeting.

President .....Mary Catherine Hartman
Secretary .....Betty Hostetter
Treasurer .....Marilyn Miller
News Reporter .....Arthur Schwartz

"Do Re Mi" was the first play of the season, presented to the public on December 4.

The club members had an enjoyable trip to Fort Wayne on January 23. They witnessed the production "High Tor" at the Civic Theatre, which has proved to be a valuable experience.

"Little Women" the dramatization taken from the book written by Louisa M. Alcott, was our study during the winter. This was an exceptional play with humor, pathos, and joy, so intermingled that it required intensive study to make it a success.

D E B A T E

The varsity debate team began the season in December by attending the annual Purdue Debate Conference. Here the team heard authorative speakers discuss both sides of the national question for this year: "Resolved, that the Federal Government should provide a system of free medical care available to all citizens at public expense."

The team, under the direction of its sponsor, Mrs. Miles, participated in the LaPorte Speech Tournament where we debated with teams from schools in the various parts of the state. Arthur Schwartz received a certificate for excellent speaking.

This year Nappanee entered the St. Joseph Valley Debate League. The various trips took the team to South Bend Riley, South Bend Central, and LaPorte. Altogether, the team debated against Riley, Central, LaPorte, Gary Clark, Gary Tolleston, Hammond, John Adams, Mishawaka, and Knox.

The team was composed of Arden Hamman and Dewey Eppley, Affirmative, and Wayne North and Arthur Schwartz, Negative, with Nancy Uline as an alternate Negative.

Seated—left to right: Beverly Hahn, Mrs. Miles, advisor, Joan Lloyd.

Standing—left to right Arden Hamman, Dewey Eppley, Nancy Uline, Jack Milleman, Arthur Schwartz, Wayne North.

NAPANET STAFF

Seated—left to right: Jane Lou Bigler, Dick Stoops, Mary Catherine Hartman, Marilyn Miller, Jack Milleman, Mary Jeanette Welty, Richard Callander.

Standing—left to right: Dewey Eppley, Arthur Schwartz, Owen Lemna, Richard Klitzke, Mr. Roose and Miss Hoover, advisors, Nancy Uline, Wayne North, David Widmoyer, Pegge Lloyd, Joan Strauss.

We, the Napanet staff members of 1946 and 1947, have worked hard to give you a fine book, with memories for the graduating seniors and scenes of our school for the citizens of Nappanee.

The following capable hands steered the book to completion:

Editor ..... Nancy Uline

Co-Editor ..... Dewey Eppley

Business Manager ..... Richard Stoops

Asst. Business Manager ..... Mary Catherine Hartman

Junior Editor and Manager ..... David Widmoyer, Richard Callander

Art Editor ..... Marilyn Miller

Alumni ..... Sally Howenstein

Calendar ..... Mary J. Welty, Pegge Lloyd

Athletic Editors ..... Richard Klitzke, Jack Milleman

Snapshot Editor ..... Arthur Schwartz

Here's best wishes to you—the class of '47—from the annual staff.

JOURNALISM

Much goes into publishing the paper, but with the interest and enthusiasm shown through out this year—drudgery has become fun.

The organization has been active because each member had a job to do and he did it. We attribute our fine publications to the splendid co-operation of the staff.

Various steps produce the finished product—"D'Bulldog." The paper begins with reporting, then the material is dummied, stencils are cut, pages mimeographed, and stapled and finally it is distributed and read eagerly.

Front row—left to right:

Kathleen Hoffer, Marilyn Burkholder, Mary Ellen Middaugh, Helen Messner, Janet Miller, Jane Lou Bigler, Arlene Schwartz, Patricia Hare, Marcelene May, Joan Lloyd.

Second row—left to right:

Phyllis Mellinger, Donna Uline, Patricia Pippen, Ruth Speicher, Patricia Naylor, Betty Hostetter, Margaret Farrington, Mariette Mellinger, Patsy Corwin, Mary Catherine Hartman, Pegge Lloyd, Mrs. Miles, sponsor.

Third row—left to right:

George Byers, Phillip Price, Owen Lemna, Richard Klitzke, Fred Curtis, Joe Stillson, Richard Stoops, Arthur Schwartz, Richard Callander, Kenneth Calbeck, Wayne North, Eugene Smith.

H I - Y

President .....Richard Stoops
Vice-President...Arthur Schwartz
Secretary .....David Widmoyer
Treasurer .....Jack Milleman
Sponsor .....Mr. White

On January 11 the Hi-Y held its annual Father and Son Banquet at the Methodist Church.

We sponsored the Dime Line again this year on February 18. We broke all previous records by collecting over $91.00 for the benefit of Infantile Paralysis victims.

We inaugurated two plans this year by which we intend to improve our club. The first of these was the "Hi-Y N Letter Award Plan." By this plan any Hi-Y member who wishes to earn an "N" letter must not have had an unexcused absence from a meeting, must have maintained a "B" average in citizenship, and must comply with the requirements for membership. The second plan is Requirements for Membership. By this plan the member must co-operate with the club officers, must not have had more than two unexcused absences from a meeting, must not use tobacco or alcohol in any form, and must not allow his citizenship grade to fall below a "C" average. If a member violates any of the "Requirements for Membership" he will be suspended from the club.

We concluded this successful year with a swimming party at the Elkhart Y.M.C.A.

—David Widmoyer

F. H. A.

The Future Home Makers Club was first organized in 1933 for the purpose of interesting home economics girls in homemaking. The club was reorganized this year with Miss Blank as sponsor.

Membership is limited to girls who have completed one year or more of home economics in school. The club has a membership of nineteen this year.

Club meetings are held twice monthly during the activity period.

The theme of the club for this year is Post War Homes. Some interesting programs have been given.

On November 14, all members enjoyed a hayride with the F. F. A.

We have completed several projects this year. These include sending a Christmas basket to a needy family, having a fashion review and party for our mothers, and a money making project selling concessions at the District Band Contest.

We shall make an educational field trip in the spring.

Pauline Wise

F. F. A.

The Future Farmers started the year with ten members, later increased by the addition of eight green hands.

A pest killing contest was held among our members; Paul Rummel and Arthur Haney were captains. Paul Rummel's team won with George Malcolm a high point man of the contest.

Other events were: district judging contest; parent and son banquet held on February 26 at which Rev. Keim was our speaker; hay-ride which the Future Home Makers sponsored; basketball held Tuesday evenings; stunt for Farmers Institute; and two waste paper drives.

Paul Rummel and George Byers were chosen to be delegates to the State F. F. A. convention.

Levi Tobias received a letter award. Kenneth Bollman and DeVon Rose qualified for and were initiated into the Chapter Farmer degree.

The club was greatly saddened by the sudden death of Arthur Haney. Arthur held the Chapter Farmers degree, was secretary, and a 4-H Junior Leader at the time of his death.

The officers are as follows:

President .....George Malcolm
Vice-President .....Levi Tobias
Secretary.Arthur Haney-Jack Gran
Treasurer .....Paul Rummel
Reporter .....George Byers
Watch-Dog .....Carlyle Buss
Advisor .....Chas. B. Byers

Front row, left to right: Devon Rose, Richard Max Miller, Kenneth Calbeck, Clell Hartman, Fred Curtis, Richard Stoops, Arthur Schwartz, George Stoops, Roy Kaufman, Richard Callander, James Lentz.
Second row, left to right: Benny Housouer, Joe Stillson, Owen Lemna, Phillip Price, Richard Klitzke, George Byers, Frank Coppes, Charles Chapman, Carl Lemna, Frank Parsons.
Third row, left to right: Mark Cox, Roy Ralston, Dewey Eppley, James Buss, David Widmoyer, Robert Orn, George Malcolm, Junior Heckaman, Bobby Joe Hollar, Douglas Hummel, Wendell Metzler, Ronald Kirkwood, Harold Hershberger, Mr. White, sponsor.
Fourth row, left to right: William Gamble, Jack Milleman, Richard Linn, Joe Geyer, Jack Gran, Dean Middaugh, Gordon Neterer, Richard Gardner, Eugene Slagle, Rex Davis, Arden Hamman.

Seated left to right:
Pauline Wise, June Haines, Billie Jean Gran, Helen Messner, Phyllis Housouer, Margie Middaugh, Patricia Martin, Sally Milleman.

Standing, left to right:
Laurine Haines, Mary Ellen Middaugh, Norma Kuhn, Anna Mae Middaugh, Barbara Moneyheffer, Mary Alice Hall, Marjorie Snyder, Patricia Reed, Virginia Mitterling, Peggy Williams, Edna Stutzman, Donnabelle Mast, Miss Blank, sponsor.

Front row, left to right:
James Pittman, William Hood, Robert Reilly, Leonard Stout, Leon Farnwald.

Second row, left to right:
Devon Rose, Donald Welty, Jack Gran, Roy Snyder, Carlyle Buss, Mr. Byers, sponsor .

Third row, left to right:
George Byers, Vernon Hochstetler, Kenneth Bollman, Arthur Haney, Levi Tobias, George Malcolm, Kenneth George.

S E N I O R Y - T E E N S

President .....PHYLLIS MELLINGER
Vice-President .....ROSENA GEARHART
Secretary .....ANNA LOU GONDERMAN
Treasurer .....MARILYN MILLER

This year we are no longer the Girl Reserves of N. H. S. but a new and active Y-Teen organization with fifty-five members. Our name has been changed so that we are now associates of the Y. W. C. A. in name, purpose, and goals. Along with other changes, we have a new song which all of us enjoy singing. The blue triangle, with a superimposed map of the world, and whose base stands for spirit and two sides for health and knowledge, is still our symbol. We can proudly say that we are a part of a world-wide organization.

Under the direction of Rosena Gearhart, Mary Jeanette Welty, and Phyllis Weaver, we had some very interesting and worth while programs. We enjoyed two outstanding book reviews, "Clementine Kelly" and "Mama's Bank Account," given by Mrs. Miles and Mrs. Pelchrzim respectively. We also were entertained by many of our own talented members.

The Y-Teens with the Hi-Y organization had a lively skating party at Plymouth on October 3. Among our other activities were a serious initiation service, and a mother and daughter banquet.

We sincerely feel that this first year of the Y-Teen organization has been a great success and we, as full-pledged members, are pressing forward, ever mindful of our purpose.

TOP PICTURE:
Bottom Row: (left-right) Anna Lou Gonderman; Joan Flowers; Rae Ellen Field; Shirley Davis; Rosena Gearhart; Louise Berry; Jo Ann Bigler; Rosemary Hamilton.
Middle Row: Miss Hoover, sponsor; Mary Catherine Hartman; Phyllis Beery; Margaret Farrington; Kathleen Hoffer; Marguerite Gearhart; Beverly Hahn; Sally Howenstein.
Top Row: Doris Holaway; Dolores Ingle; Betty Hood; Jane Lou Bigler; Pegge Lloyd; Marilyn Burkholder; Betty Hostetter; Marilyn Jensen; Mary Ann Bartholomew.

BOTTOM PICTURE:
Bottom Row: Joan Strauss; Dorothy Miller; Helen Mattern; Phyllis Weaver; Trilba Stillson; Sara Walters; Betty Stutzman; Wilma Yoder.
Middle Row: Miss Gray, sponsor; Marilyn Miller; Nancy Shaum; Marlene Sheets; Ina Mae Troxel; Eloise Milleman; Margaret Miller; Donna Uline; Margaret Mutschler; Fay Stinemetz; Nancy Uline.
Top Row: Phyllis Mellinger; Virginia Mitterling; Patricia Pippen; Patricia Naylor; Ruth Speicher; Mary Jeanette Welty; Lois Robinson; Marilyn Miller; Delores Roth; Janet Miller.

JUNIOR Y-TEENS

Ring out the old! Ring in the new! The name Junior Girl Reserves is forever buried and to take its place we present the Junior Y-Teens. The officers for this year are:

President .....JOAN LLOYD

Vice-President ....MARIETTE MELLINGER

Secretary .....FRIEDA WALTERS

Song Leader .....CAROLE HECKAMAN

Pianist .....PAT HOLLAR

Our parties, a theater party in February and a skating party in the spring, were enjoyed by all attending.

We hope next year will be as interesting and entertaining as this one has been.

TOP PICTURE:

Bottom Row: (left to right) Patsy Henley; Barbara LeCount; Willodene Kiefer; Colleen Bartman; Elsie Davis; Carol Klitzke; Carol Ann Gillis; Ruth Bartman; JoAnn Farrington.

Middle Row: Yvonne Haines; Phyllis Housouer; Janet Eiman; Phyllis Detwiler; Shirley Copenhaver; Mabel Burkholder. Norma Ingle; Norma Bauman; Jennie Lee Gall; Martha Corl.

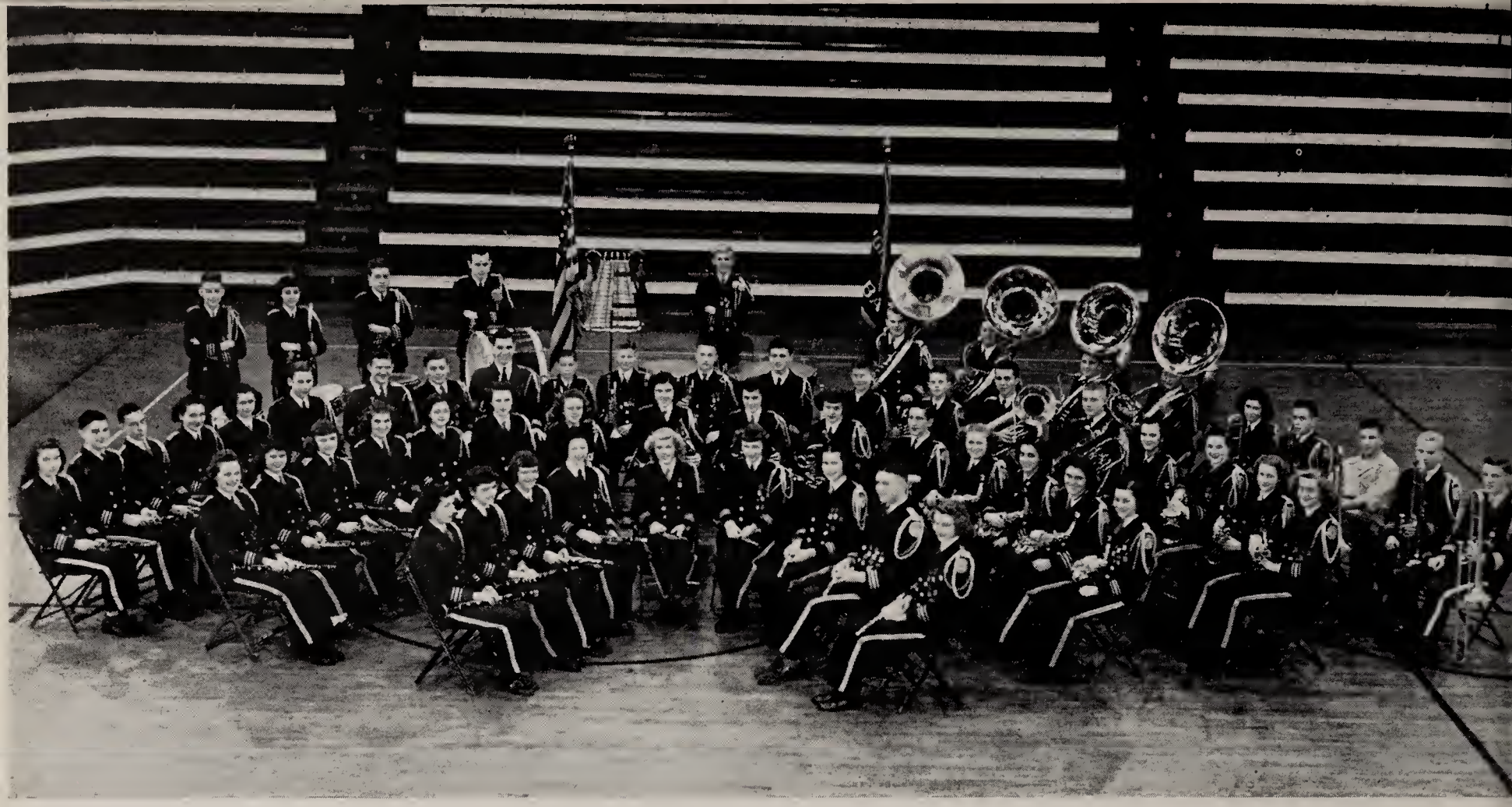
Top Row: Dawn Keesler; Sally Gall; Della Ina Chapman; Carole Heckaman; Lois Hartman; Laurine Haines; Pat Hollar; Joan Lloyd; Mary Helen Arnott.

BOTTOM PICTURE:

Bottom Row: Marie Wilson; Sue Martin; Mary Rockstroh; Monna Sechrist; Patricia Richmond; Joan Shively; Sally Snider; Mary Jane Pittman; Lorretta Stillson; Betty May.

Middle Row: Ann Wright; Peggy Williams; Patricia Reed; Nancy Sechrist; Emma Rensberger; Marilyn Phend; Arlene Schwartz; Joan Teeter; Marla Mutschler; Thelma Miller; Rachael Pfeiffer; Mary Lou Reprogle; Beverly Ralston; Barbara Moneyheffer.

Top Row: Pauline Steinmetz; Frieda Walters; Barbara Sharp; Edna Stutzman; Patricia Martin; Mariette Mellinger: Margie Middaugh; Leura Melville; Billie Jean Widmoyer; Joan Shaum.



BAND

The band, under the direction of Mr. Habegger, has had another busy and successful year. The sixty-five members elected the following officers:

President .....PEGGE LLOYD

Vice-President .....PHILLIP PRICE

Secretary .....NANCY ULINE

Treasurer .....MARY C. HARTMAN

Sergeant at Arms..RICHARD STOOPS

News Reporter .....JOANN BIGLER

In November the band gave its first concert of the year. A band and chorus Christmas program was also given, being sponsored by the P. T. A. The group played for Farmers Institute and for all the home basketball games.

In February the band and chorus took time out from practicing to enjoy a bean supper.

The band, as well as many soloists and ensembles, participated in contest in the spring. We were proud to be host when the District Band and Chorus contest was held here in Nappanee.

Front row—left to right:

Mary Catherine Hartman, Rae Ellen Field, Patricia Hollar, Bonnie Buss, Carol Klitzke, Patricia Pippen, Margaret Mutschler, George Byers, Patricia Naylor.

Second row—left to right:

Kathleen Hoffer, Arlene Schwartz, Joan Lloyd, Carole Heckaman, Barbara Sharp, Phyllis Beery, Phyllis Weaver, Nancy Uline, Pegge Lloyd, Mary Ann Bartholomew, Fred Curtis, Nancy Shaum, JoAnn Bigler, Marguerite Gearhart, Delores Roth.

Third row—left to right:

Mariette Mellinger, Jerry Lentz, Gene Johnson, Mary Lou Reprogle, Helen Mattern, Charles Chapman, James Lentz, David Widmoyer, Frank Parsons, Carrol Holaway, Eugene Smith, Richard Gardner, Rex Davis (not in picture), Clell Hartman, David Stouder, Fred Wilt, Wade Best (not in picture), Arthur Schwartz, Philip Price, Richard Uline (not in picture), Louise Berry, Beverly Hahn, Ruth Speicher, Donna Uline.

Fourth row—left to right:

Dana Gray, Marlene Scheets, Kenneth Calbeck, Harold Hershberger, George Stoops, Richard Klitzke, Richard Rohrer, James Pittman, Ronald Kirkwood, Marie Wilson, Roland Heckaman, Richard Max Miller, Joe Stillson, Richard Stoops.

CHORUS

Front row—left to right:

Ruth Speicher, Patricia Pippen, Shirley Davis, Nancy Shaum, Trilba Stillson, Dorothy Miller, Marilyn Miller, Pegge Hare, Loleta Coppes, Doris Holaway, Joan Strauss, Mary Jeanette Mast, Phyllis Weaver.

Second row—left to right:

Bonnie Buss, Patricia Naylor, Betty Hostetter, Margaret Farrington, Margaret Mutschler, Mary Jeanette Welty, Mary Frances Bertelson, Donna Uline, Beverly Hahn, Marilyn Jensen, Kathleen Hoffer, Marilyn Burkholder, Nancy Uline, Miss Gray, director.

Third row—left to right:

Phillip Price, Owen Lemna, Richard Klitzke, Carl Lemna, Frank Parsons, Clell Hartman, Wayne North, Fred Curtis, Joe Stillson, George Stoops, Charles Chapman, Frank Coppes, Wendell Metzler.

Our chorus has enjoyed another active year under the capable direction of Miss Gray and with the co-operation of our fine accompanist, Nancy Uline.

At the beginning of the year we elected the following officers:

OWEN LEMNA .....*President*

FRED CURTIS .....*Vice-President*

JOE STILLSON...*Secretary-Treasurer*

Last fall we were represented by twenty per cent of our members in a chorus of five hundred students, which sang for the teachers association in South Bend. On December 11, the band and chorus presented a Christmas program, sponsored by the P.T.A. We joined with the Bremen chorus when the annual joint concert was given.

The chorus received First Division ratings at both the District Contest held here on April 12, and at the State Contest on April 19, at North Manchester. We shall take part in the Spring Festival and the Baccalaureate Service.

Now, as our activities draw to a close, we feel that the chorus has completed a year of many achievements.

Seated, left to right
JoAnn Bigler, Mary Catherine Hartman, Jane Lou Bigler, Margaret Farrington, Norma Ralston.

Standing, left to right
Doris Holaway, Marilyn Burkholder, Rosena Gearhart, Dolores Roth, Miss Shively, faculty librarian, Phyllis Mellinger, Marguerite Gearhart, Janet Miller.

Left to right
Joan Lloyd, Eugene Slabaugh, Owen Lemna, Anna Lou Gonderman, Jane Lou Bigler, Sally Howenstein, Betty Hood, Marilyn Burkholder, Doris Holaway, Joan Strauss

Top row, left to right
Robert Gessinger, Wesley Hansen, Paul Sechrist, Jim Burt, Richard Gessinger, Charles Hochstetler

Middle row,
left to right
Robert Watters, Carroll Coppes, John Pfieffer, Gordon Smith, Billy Strang

Front row, left to right
Keith McCuen, Kenneth Mitterling, Bob Lutes, Norris Balsley, Gordon Pfieffer, Walter Hershberger

LIBRARIANS

The purpose of our library is to encourage the students to learn and to introduce them to new things and friends.

In our school we have over two thousand books and about thirty weekly and monthly magazines. The most widely read magazines are Popular Mechanics, Popular Science, Newsweek, Good Housekeeping, and Reader's Digest. This year we have added a set of "Junior Britanica Encyclopedia."

There are twelve librarians who help the students find books and magazines. It is also their duty to check everything that is taken out, and collect the fines for overdue books. Under the guidance and assistance of Miss Shively, we try to help all we can.

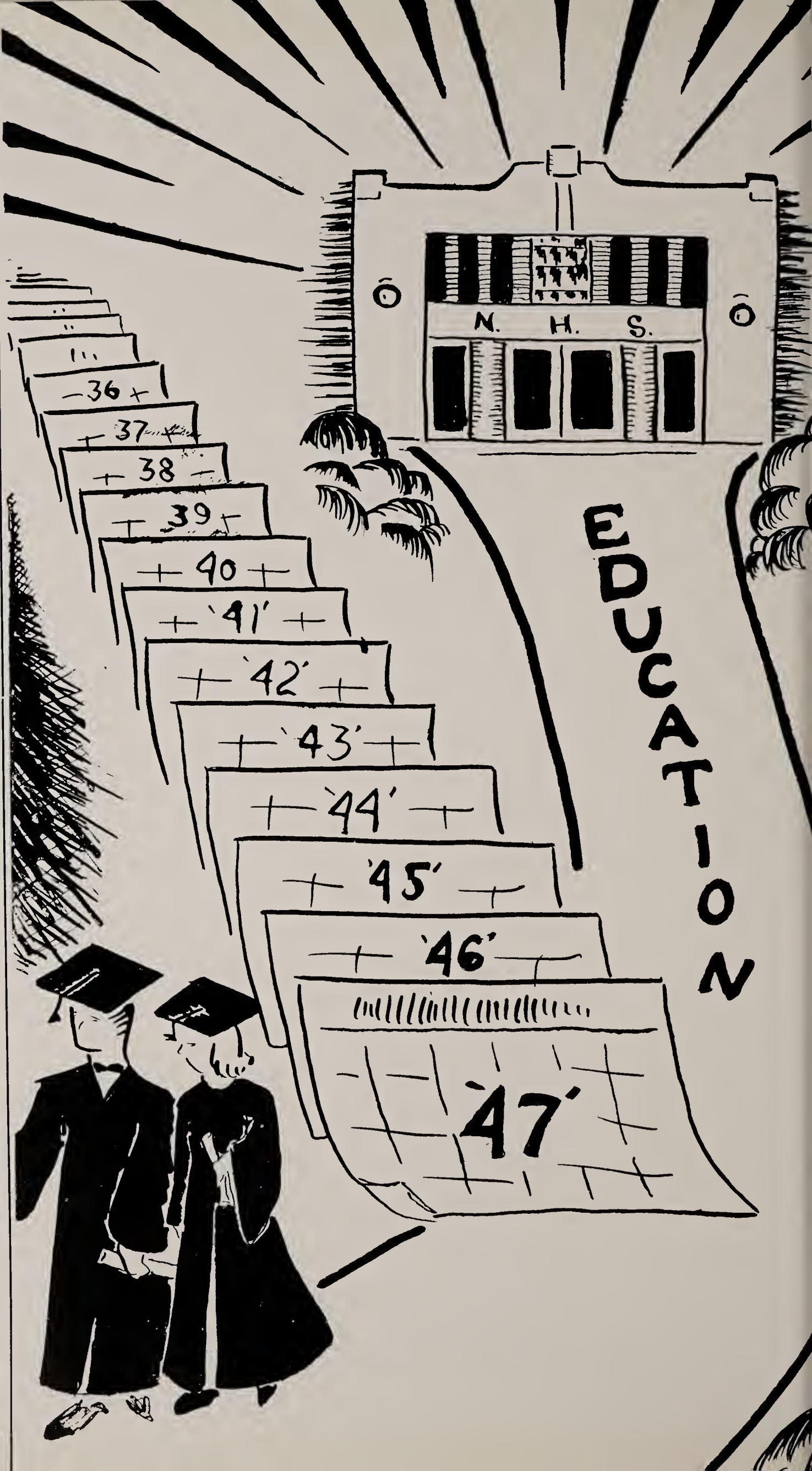
MONITORS

The duty of the monitors is to collect the attendance slips at the beginning of each hour. To do this they must sacrifice part of their study hour. Their work is all voluntary and is greatly appreciated by the faculty.

PATROL BOYS

A great deal of praise goes to our Patrol Boys for their splendid work that insures the safety of the younger children. The co-operation of the older students made their work easier. Whether it rains or shines, you will always find them at their post.

Calendar



Calendar

"THERE! LITTLE GIRL, DON'T CRY!
THEY HAVE BROKEN YOUR SLATE, I KNOW;
AND THE GLAD, WILD WAYS
OF YOUR SCHOOL GIRL DAYS
ARE THINGS OF LONG AGO;
BUT LIFE AND LOVE WILL SOON COME BY—
THERE! LITTLE GIRL, DON'T CRY!"

—Riley

CALENDAR

SEPTEMBER

4 School opened with Mr. Roose's announcements; the freshmen rushed to and fro while seniors lagged along.

6 The weatherman had no mercy on the band at the Goshen Fair. It wasn't fun running back and forth dodging raindrops, was it kids?

10 First meeting of Hi-Y and G. R.

11 Baseball game. Journalism meeting. Annual Staff meeting.

12 P. W. jackets all the rage!

16 Dramatics—the rules laid down.

17 F. F. A. and G. A. A.

18 Elkhart vs. Nappanee baseball 10-10. Future Homemakers.

23 These blue Mondays—depressing, yes? Hi-Y senior initiation.

24 Girls Glee Club, G. R., Hi-Y—It seems the girls are all swooning over a certain southern drawl—nice physique, too, isn't that right, gals?

27 First edition of "D'Bulldog." How do Tillie and Tessie dig up all that dirt? First Debate meeting.

30 Baseball; we lost to Concord 14-15.

OCTOBER

2 English literature class went to Chicago to see "Henry V" Yes, girls, there is more than one clock at Marshall Fields.

3 Senior pictures—remarks heard in girls cloakroom—did you know our senior boys were so good looking? Ties certainly make a difference don't they ? Hi-Y G. R. skating party at Plymouth—after all these years of planning.

8 G. R. has turned modern; the new name? Why, Y-Teens, of course.

9 Oh my—with Mr. Weddle sick will the girls live through the day. Government classes celebrated Mr. Best's becoming papa with a party.

10 Student Council. Mr. Weddle is back so the girls can resume sighing.

11 Juniors went to South Bend. School dismissed at 2:30.

14 Senior proofs. Ohs, ahs, and ughs heard from the upper classmen.

16 Cheerleaders tryouts. Nice going Bus, Gene, and Art! First report cards, groan! Vacation made us lazy.

18 Seniors measured for caps and gowns.

21 Two assembly programs in one day! Magician and football pictures. Some senior girls seemed more interested in gossip session. The nurse's room wasn't made for that purpose girls.

23-24 Teachers Association. Freedom from the same old grind for two whole days.

28 Juniors gave interesting skit by Louise Berry of things to come for some of our dear classmates.

31 Hallowe'en Party at school. Lena kept everyone guessing.

NOVEMBER

1 We kept our yearly tradition in beating New Paris in our first game of the season. New cheerleaders, hot stuff!

4 Senior class meeting. Pepsi-Cola Scholarship delegates elected.

5 F. F. A. and F. H. M. hayrides quite exciting! Sorry June, but you'll have to hang on tighter next time.

8 Game with Bremen. Slipping a little, 48 to 34.

12 Night school. Parents do make us nervous, don't they Mr. White?

13 No school this A. M.; few more hours of sleep.

21 Senior Thanksgiving program.

24 Senior class, rather Art, decided we should have grey caps and gowns.

DECEMBER

2 Wonderful notes filled our ears as we listened to a blind marimba player.

3 Preview of "Do, Re, Mi"

CALENDAR

4 "Do, Re Mi" performance.

5 Seniors on their way to Hollywood since Lockridge did such a fine job of making them glamorous.

18 Christmas vacation. Hooray, out until January 6!

JANUARY

6 Game, we defeated Concord, 42 to 38. Pictures and pep band both same day!

8 Weddle's a papa! I. Q. Tests for Seniors. We're pretty bright!

10 Game, Central 64, Nap 39. They have quite a team, don't they fellows?

12 Debate team went to South Bend.

13 Game, Washington beat us 43 to 34. Senior class meeting. Motto, colors, and flower decided upon.

16 Mr. Roose informs us our tardiness is disgraceful. Heads examined, for ringworm, of course!

17 Game, Madison. Y-Teens and Hi-Y.

21 Senior skating party. Cold but we had heaps of fun.

23 Dramatic Club went to Fort Wayne to see a play, "High Tor."

29 No concert with Bremen; too much ice.

30 No school, no heat, no lights, no telephones, yes fun.

31 Lost another game to Elkhart.

FEBRUARY

3 Senior boys don't appreciate health so they locked Weddle out. Sextet, dramatics, band, and chorus bean supper. In spite of Jim's hatred for beans he did his best.

4 Seniors in Indianapolis. The boys gave us quite an interesting story on Queenie. Too bad you didn't get to see her, fellows.

5 Laporte has an exceptionally good team; as a result, the score was in their favor.

10 Scholarship tests for state schools were taken by eight seniors.

11 Art showed his pictures of the class party.

14 Assembly program. Lost to John Adams.

18 F. F. A. meeting. Hi-Y father and son banquet.

21 Riley Wildcats were wild so they won the game.

25 Pictures. Patch test.

27 Tourney started.

28 D'Bulldog. School only in the morning. Our game, but we lost gallantly.

MARCH

3 T. B. Tests. Reception committe at work. Band magazine campaign.

5 Report cards. Everyone has the flu.

7 Class tourney. Naturally the Seniors won.

14 Basketball Banquet. Congratulations, Jack!

17 It's a great day for the Irish. We all dressed in green. English lit. class had a party. Class meeting.

18 Band Clinic at Bremen.

21 Concert with Bremen—finally. But without the beans.

29 Student Forum for the Assembly. It lead to interesting and heated discussions.

APRIL

1 Speaker from Purdue. School out for good —April Fool!

2 Ec. test—another one of Mr. White's lovely Ec. tests. 1st part of David Copperfield.

4 Out at 3:00 for Spring Vacation.

10 2nd part of David Copperfield.

15-16 "Little Women"—Did you go swimming or skating in the matinee, Dick?

30 Art Class and Juniors went to Chicago.

MAY

18 Baccalaureate—Rev. Mr. Melville is our speaker.

20 Class Day.

21 Reception—The great Day has arrived.

23 Commencement—We reached the top of our high school career. Good Luck kids.

ZINKER CLEANERS

AUTOGRAPHS

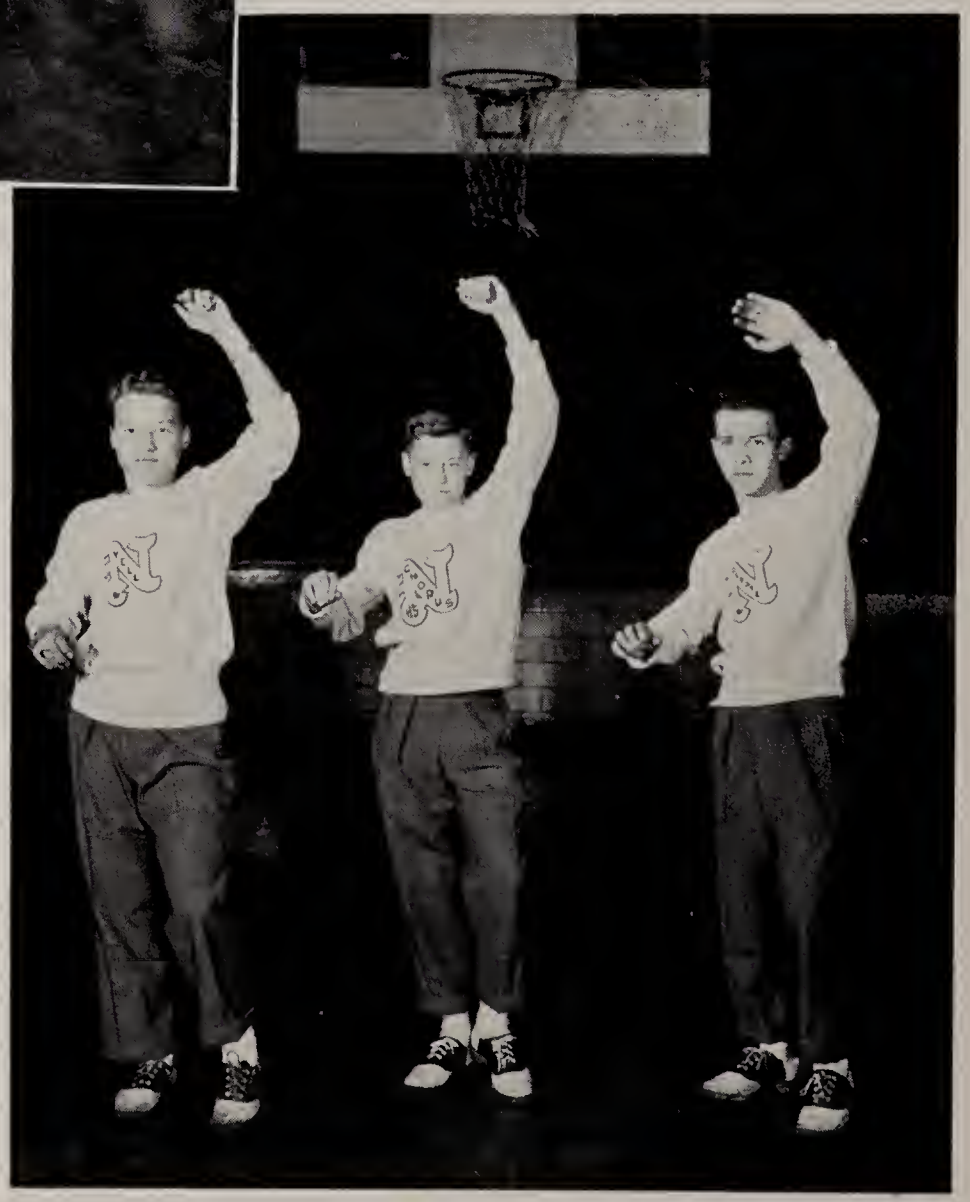
Athletics

Athletics

NOT ALL THE SCHOOL HOURS ARE SPENT IN STUDYING FROM BOOKS; MUCH TIME IS GIVEN TO ATHLETICS. THIS YEAR THE VARIOUS TEAMS HAD THE FULL SUPPORT OF THE NAPPANEE FANS FOR THEY STOOD BACK OF THEM AND GAVE THEM ENDLESS ENCOURAGEMENT AND COOPERATION. THE FANS HAVE ACHIEVED THE GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP DESIRED BY THE OFFICIALS AND SCHOOL FACULTY.

B A S K E T B A L L

Our coach, Mr. Weddle, and our two managers, Frank Coppes and Charles Chapman, deserve a lot of credit for their fine spirit and support in helping the team all the way through when the going was rough. They have tried hard, and have done a swell job considering the tough competition.



In spite of Nappanee's losing basketball season, we were fortunate in having three peppy boys, Art Schwartz, Buster Calbeck, and Gene Gwin, for cheerleaders. The undying spirit of these boys kept up the enthusiasm of the faithful followers of the Bulldogs. They helped to establish a good sportmanship attitude among the fans and encourage cooperation.

One of their duties was to be in charge of the numerous pep sessions held throughout the season. These sessions were conducted in an interesting manner and were attended whole-heartedly by the student body. We extend our appreciation to these boys for leading the fans in cheering the team on.

B A S K E T B A L L

The second team this year consisted mostly of Sophomores and Juniors. Their fine playing and winning spirit brought them through to see victory in many games. They promise to give a great deal of the same determination next season.

Front row—left to right:

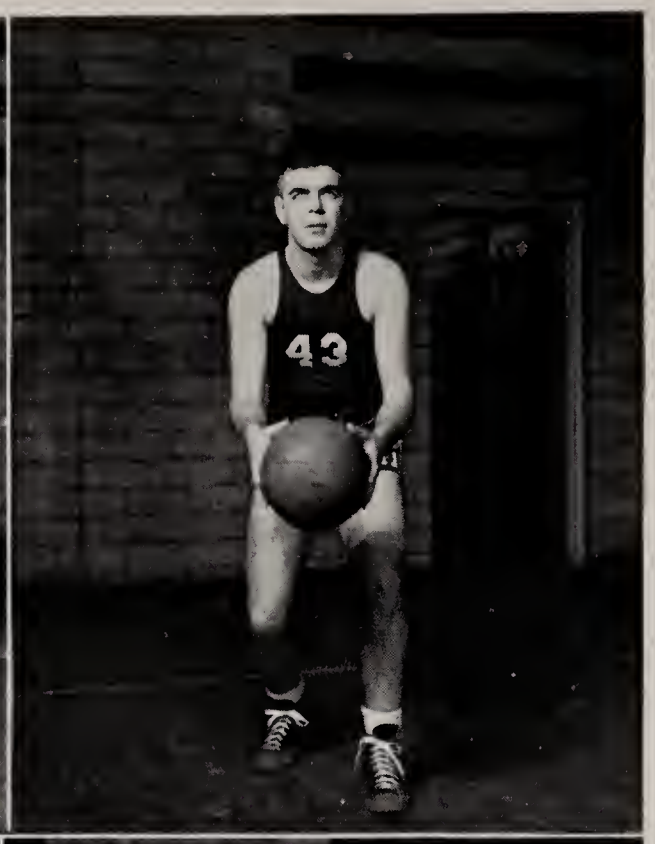
Charles Chapman, manager, Richard Linn, Junior Heckaman, Richard Gardner, Frank Coppes, manager.

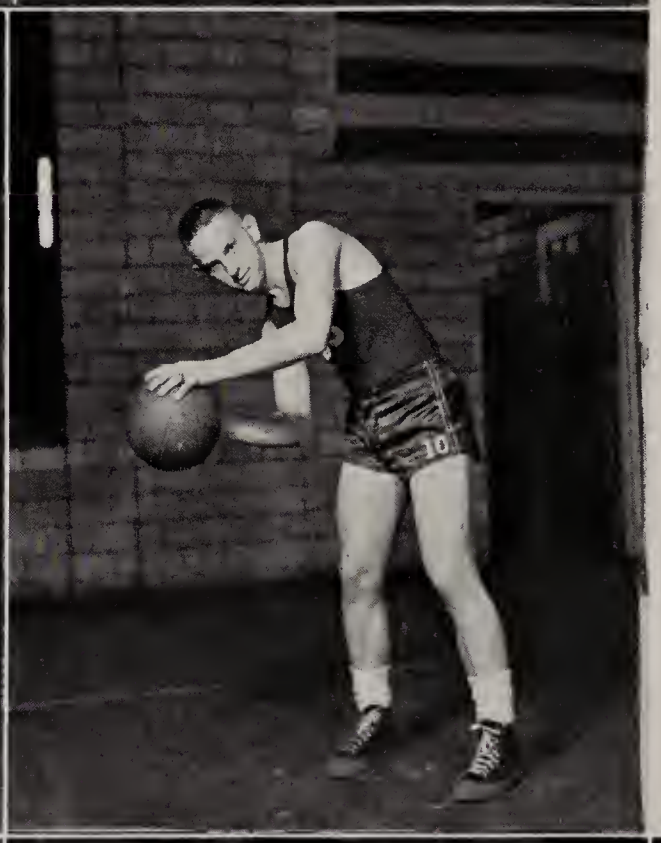
Second row—left to right:

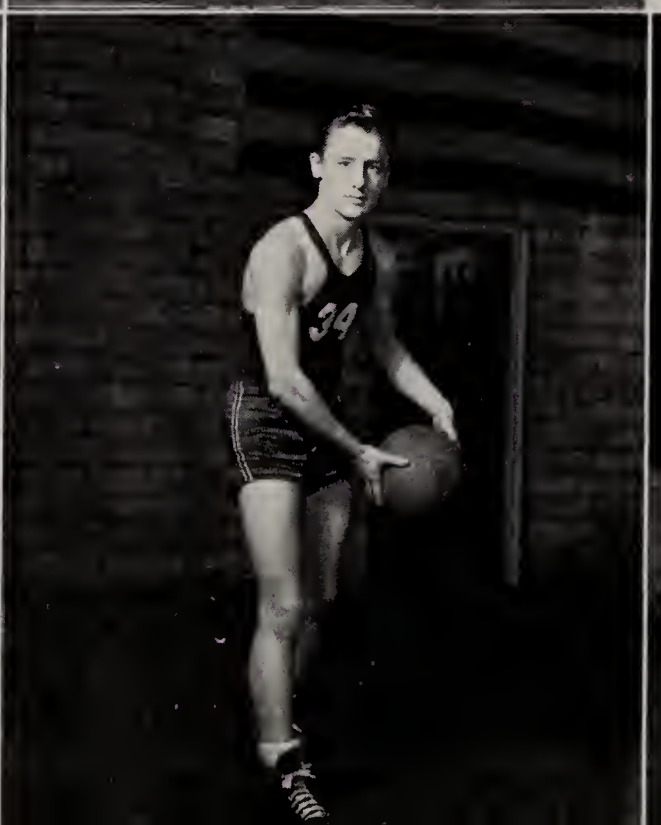
Richard Miller, Rex Davis, Roy Kaufman, George Stoops, Wendell Metzler, Mr. Weddle, coach.

Third row—left to right

Clell Hartman, Frank Parsons, Arden Hamman, George Byers, Dean Middaugh.







JACK MILLEMAN
Top left—Guard

OWEN LEMNA
Top right—Center & Forward

JAMES LENTZ
Center left—Forward

JOE GEYER
Center right—Center

RICHARD KLITZKE
Bottom left—Forward

BENNY HOUSOUER
Bottom center—Guard

HAROLD HERSHBERGER
Bottom right—Guard

CARL LEMNA
Opposite left—Forward

GORDEN NETERER
Opposite center—Guard & Forward

FRANK PARSONS
Opposite right—Center

BASKETBALL

JACK MILLEMAN—*"Milleman,"* our fastest man on the team. This was Jack's second year on the varsity. Regardless of the margin of points between the opposing team and the Bulldogs, whether we were ahead or behind, he was always in the ball game, fighting until the gun sounded. Jack will graduate this year.

OWEN LEMNA—*"Bomber,"* a good man under the basket. His ability to get the rebounds made him an asset to the team. This year marked his second year as a member of the varsity. "Bomber" is a senior this year.

JAMES LENTZ—*"Doc,"* our only man serving his "third term" on the varsity. Because of the ill effects of an automobile accident which would have kept less determined men off the floor, Jim started out slowly this season. By the end of the season he overcame some of these difficulties to prove that he well deserved this third and final year on the varsity. He is also a senior this year.

JOE BILL GEYER—*"Shanty,"* one of the shortest and best centers in the business. "Shanty" was always given the task of handling the big men of the opposing team although he was usually four or more inches shorter than they. He is a man with springs in his feet who can be very helpful in our coming season. He is a junior.

RICHARD KLITZKE—*"Dick,"* an expert on his shots with his right hand. This was Dick's second year on the varsity. His fighting spirit and timely baskets, and there were quite a few, were a real asset to the team. Dick will also be lost by graduation.

BEN HOUSOUER—*"Ben,"* a left and two hand "hot shot," and a good ball handler. Ben played his first year on the varsity and his eye for the basket made him a scoring threat that was hard to cope with. Ben will be missed next year as he is a senior.

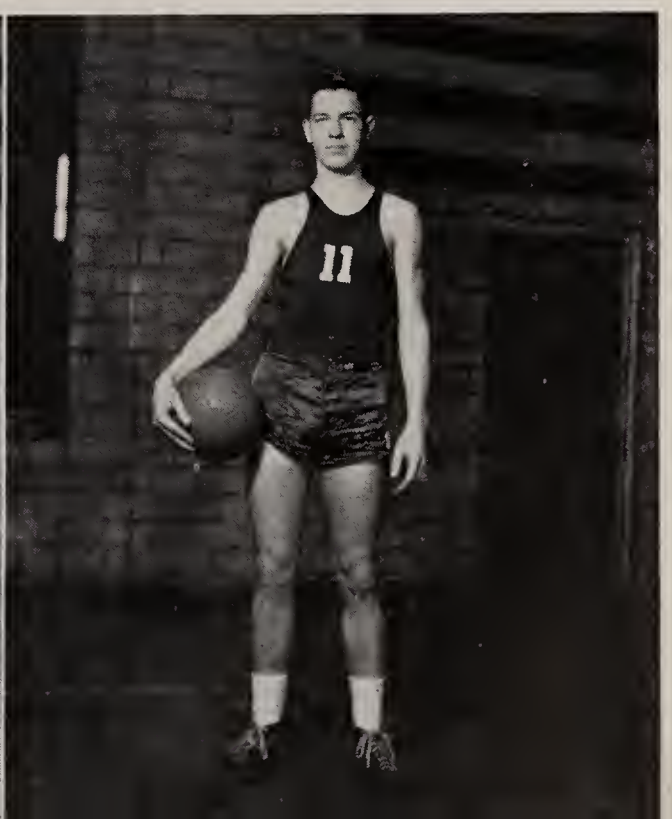
HAROLD HERSHBERGER—*"Hersh,"* our high scorer for the season. He started out with a bang this year in the county's scoring column, but seemed to lose his eye by the end of the season. "Hersh" was a good ball-handler and can be counted on for some real playing next year as he is only a junior.

CARL LEMNA—*"Duck,"* one of our most underrated players. He was really one of our best players of the season when he did appear on the floor. His expert ball-handling, play making, and fine sportsmanship will be a major asset to the team next year.

GORDON NETERER—*"Chris,"* a fast breaking guard and a good ball-handler. His experience as a substitute this year will help him to become a major threat to the Bulldogs' opponents next year. Chris is a junior.

FRANK PARSONS—*"Powsee,"* a very tall man who will provide a lot of needed help under the basket next year. He also is a junior.

Nappanee	Opponents
41	New Paris 32
34	Bremen 48
42	Kendallville 45
24	Wakarusa 40
27	Goshen 29
42	Concord 38
34	Washington South Bend 43
31	Madison 46
36	Fort Wayne North 44
Holiday Tourney	
47	Columbia City 39
35	Goshen 43
44	Mishawaka 60
39	Central, South Bend 64
43	Michigan City 56
38	Goshen 42
21	Elkhart 39
22	La Porte 55
30	Wakarusa 33
27	John Adams, South Bend 42
40	Riley, South Bend 57
Sectional 1947	
21	Elkhart 33
718 Total	Total 928
34.2 Average	Average 44.2



B A S E B A L L

Seated, left to right:
Eugene Smith; Donald Gardner; Levi Tobias; Richard Miller; George Stoops.

Kneeling, left to right:
Stanley Naylor; Wendell Metzler; Richard Gardner; Dean Middaugh.

Standing, left to right:
Mr. Weddle, coach; Jack Milleman; Gordon Neterer; Owen Lemna; Joe Geyer; James Lentz; Carl Lemna; Richard Linn.

Fall Baseball 1946

Nappanee	Opponents	
0	Concord	5
10	Elkhart	10
8	Elkhart	9
0	New Paris	1
5	Concord	14
23		39

Spring Baseball (tentative schedule)

April 24	Bremen - there
May 2	Bremen - there
May 9	Warsaw - there
	Concord

T R A C K

Seated, left to right:
Jack Milleman; Gene Gwin; George Malcolm; Eugene Smith; Jack Reed.

Kneeling, left to right:
William Tyndall; Harold Hershberger; Paul Rummel; Levi Tobias.

Standing, left to right:
Mr. Best, coach; Dean Middaugh; Stanley Naylor; Benny Housouer; Frank Parsons; George Byers; Richard Miller; Wendell Metzler.

This sport is one of the most neglected in N. H. S. However, this year it is back on the upgrade. The team has shown a determination to give all they can to put our school on top. Coach Wayne Best has made many improvements and the underclassmen promise to keep the sport more interesting.

April .....Lakeville
April 21 .....Wakarusa
April 24 .....County Meet
April 25 .....Tri-angular-Milford
May 2 .....Lakeville Relays
May 13 .....Walkerton
May 16 .....Sectional
May 24 .....State

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"Now that you speak of it, Judge Lloyd," said the defendant with downcast eyes, "I guess I never did earn an honest dollar in my life. But there was that two bits you gave me to vote for you last—"

"Case dismissed," roared the judge.

Two little girls were busily discussing their families.

"Why does your grandmother read the Bible so much?" asked one.

"I think," said the other little girl, "that she's cramming for her finals."

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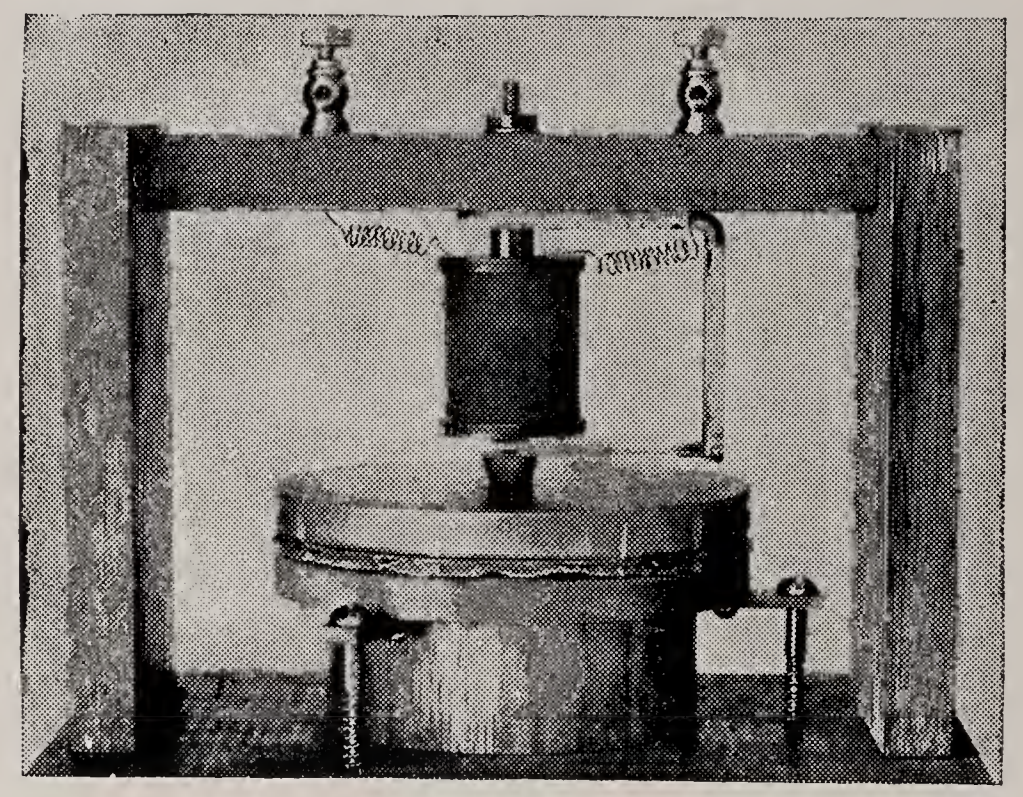

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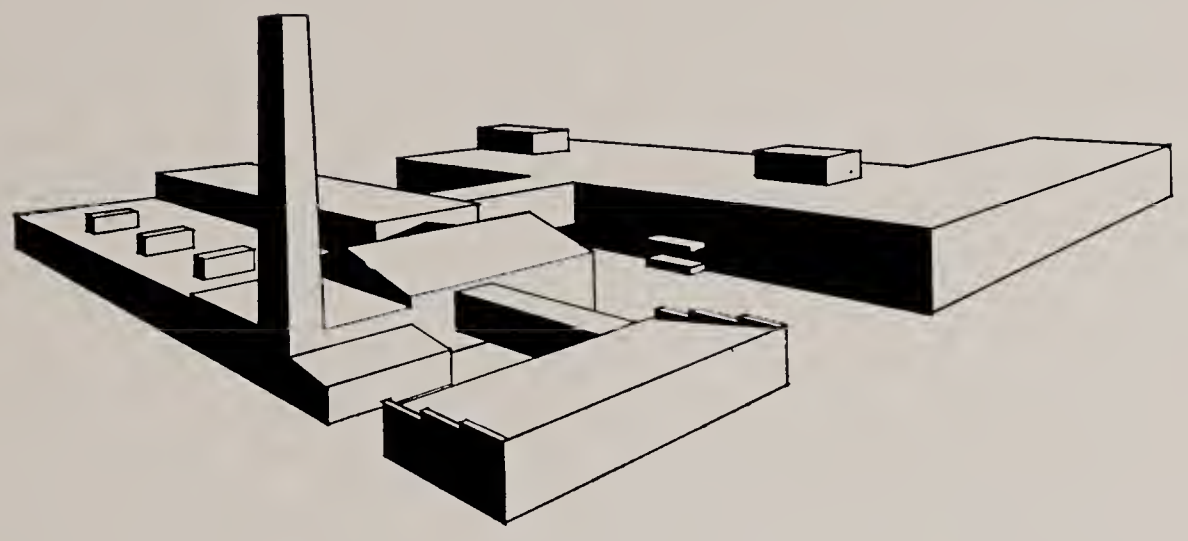

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